

Reinforced Invasion Troops Push Inland

Invasion Highlights

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Prime Minister Churchill warned the House of Commons today to guard against "over optimism" in the battle of Europe and against "the idea that these things are going to be settled in a rush."

"Although great dangers lie behind," he declared, "enormous exertions lie before us."

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS Allied Expeditionary Force, June 8.—(P)—Marines played a unique role in the invasion. Picked leatherneck sharpshooters rode high in the masts of the big ships of the bombardment force and picked off floating mines with their rifles.

BERN, Switzerland, June 8.—(P)—A state of siege has been declared in Rouen, inland from Le Havre, and great fires are ravaging the city, the Swiss telegraph agency reported today.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—Secretary of War Stimson reported today that a recent three-day period of heavy fighting preceding the fall of Rome cost American forces in Italy 2,379 casualties.

American casualties in the Italian campaign from the landings last September to May 30 amounted to 57,529, Stimson said.

Of these 9,964 were killed, 38,554 wounded and 9,011 missing.

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Displaying every emotion from arrogance to bewilderment, the first large group of German prisoners from the Allied beachheads in northern France were landed last night at an invasion port in England.

The prisoners, both officers and men, were marched to waiting trucks and moved to an undisclosed destination under an armed guard. Among the captives were four Poles, one of whom said he had been captured and drafted by the Nazis.

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Seven Allied battleships—three of them American—and scores of flanking cruisers and destroyers including revenge-thirsty French, Norwegian, Polish and Dutch ships, comprised the task forces which ripped the first beaches in Hitler's Atlantic wall.

The battleship Texas led the western task force under Rear Admiral Alan Goodrich Kirk. The squadron also included the battleships Arkansas and Nevada.

ROME, June 8.—(P)—Pope Pius XII and Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark, commander of the Fifth Army, talked for ten minutes today in the Pope's private office in the Vatican library.

Afterwards the Pope greeted Maj. Gen. Alfred H. Gruenther, chief of staff for the Fifth Army, Maj. Gen. H. H. Johnson, Rome area commander, Brig. Gen. Edgar E. Hume, chief of the American military government, and Col. (Chaplain) Patrick Ryan, 5th Army chaplain.

After the audience Gen. Clark visited St. Peter's church with Msgr. Walter Carroll, Pittsburgh, Pa., American representative in the office of the Papal secretary.

The Pope had urged war correspondents to let the ultimate general purpose of their writing be for peace.

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Russians Watch Invasion

MOSCOW, June 8.—(P)—Russian newspapers reported on all phases of the invasion of France today, carrying maps and pictures of barges and tanks—exceptional coverage of any operation by the other Allies.

"Russian infantry will march soon across German land," Red Star promised. Izvestia observed that Pierre Laval should be sad "because he has to be hanged on the first lamp post."

All Set for Bond Quota in Seven Hours

United Effort on Part of All Will 'Get Job Done'

All arrangements are made for Pettis County to go over the top in the Fifth War Loan Friday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. Induction centers, where bond buyers will report to back the attack by pledging to buy war bonds, have been set up in strategic locations throughout the county. Every school house outside Sedalia has been designated as a place for the sale of bonds. Nineteen induction centers will be opened in Sedalia, staffed with trained personnel, for the rapid signing of pledges.

The induction centers will be open until 9 o'clock in the evening. The Bond Headquarters, 308 South Ohio avenue, will receive an hour by hour report from each induction center to secure late information on the progress of the drive throughout the country. Ben Robinson, co-chairman of Sedalia division of the Pettis County War Finance committee, will have a large share of the direction of the drive from Bond Headquarters. Mrs. Chester Wright, women's chairman of the War Finance committee, will also aid in the placing of workers in each of the Sedalia induction centers. The phone numbers of the Headquarters are 67 and 91.

Subscribe the Limit

The war bond goal of \$895,000 for Pettis county will be attained in seven hours if each citizen subscribes the limit in the purchase of bonds. Calls will be made on every home in Pettis county, either by phone or in person, from 2 o'clock until the end of the drive. "Put Pettis county over the line, between the hours of two and nine."

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. William Ralston, Clinton, admitted for medical treatment.

Donald Hall, 8 years old, son of Mrs. Marie Hall, 1609 South Carr avenue, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Miss Claudine Stoffel of Otterville and Bill and Fred Harding, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hubbard, Jr., admitted.

Mrs. John D. Rucker 1320 South Ohio avenue, admitted for medical treatment.

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U. E. Sartin, Warsaw; Mrs. Ida Wise, Knob Noster; Mrs. Warren S. McManas, 620 South Massachusetts Avenue; William M. Hazel, LaMonte; C. W. Decker; Pleasant Green; Barbara Lee Conn, 151 Dal-Whi-Mo Court; Mrs. J. C. Crutcher, 614 West Broadway; Mrs. Robert W. Bonehard and infant daughter, 210 West Third street, dismissed.

President Signs Bill For Payment For \$500 to Sedalian

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—President Roosevelt has signed a bill authorizing payment of \$500 to Miss Bernadine Salmons of Sedalia, Mo., for injuries she suffered when the auto in which she was riding was struck by an army air corps tractor near Tipton, Mo. Aug. 10, 1941.

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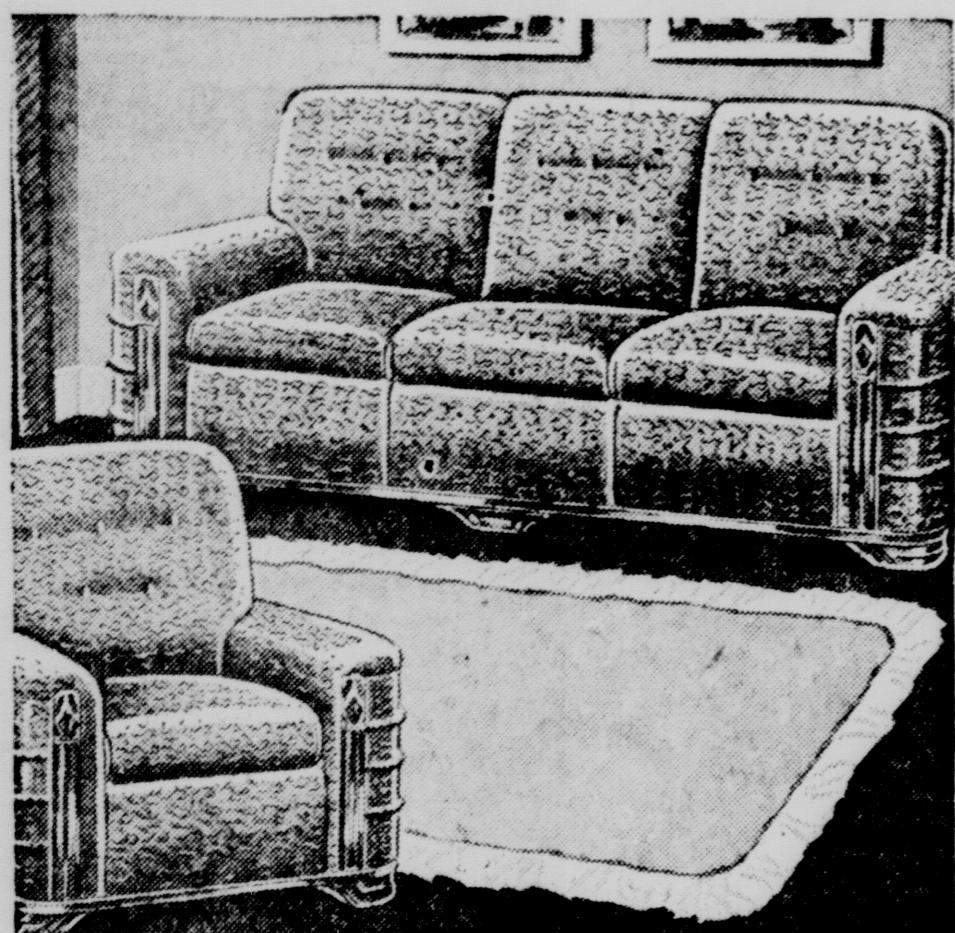
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Air Medal To S-Sgt. Rhoads

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Lt. Gen. Kennedy

S/Sgt. Mahlon E. Rhoads, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rhoads, route 3, Sedalia, is among a group of men who have been awarded air medals for heroism in the Southwest Pacific theater of war, according to an Associated Press report.

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At that time he was cited for success in dropping supplies and transporting troops to advanced positions in flights which involved flying at low altitudes over mountainous terrain under adverse weather conditions, often being forced to land near enemy bases, but demonstrating ability and devotion to duty throughout.

He attended Smith-Cotton high school and was employed at the M. K. T. shops before entering the army in September, 1942. A brother, Glenn Rhoads, lives southwest of Sedalia, and a sister, Mrs. T. H. Pohl, resides south of LaMonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhoads received a letter from him last week, dated May 20, but he said nothing about having received the medal. He has been in New Guinea for some time.

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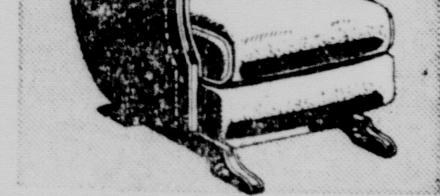
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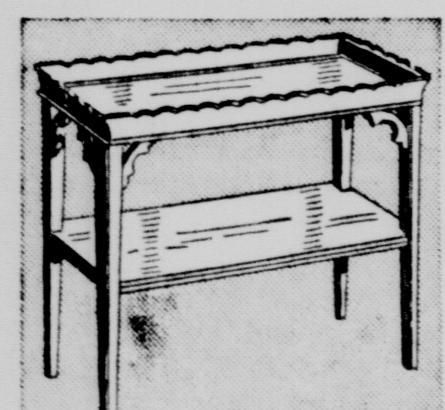
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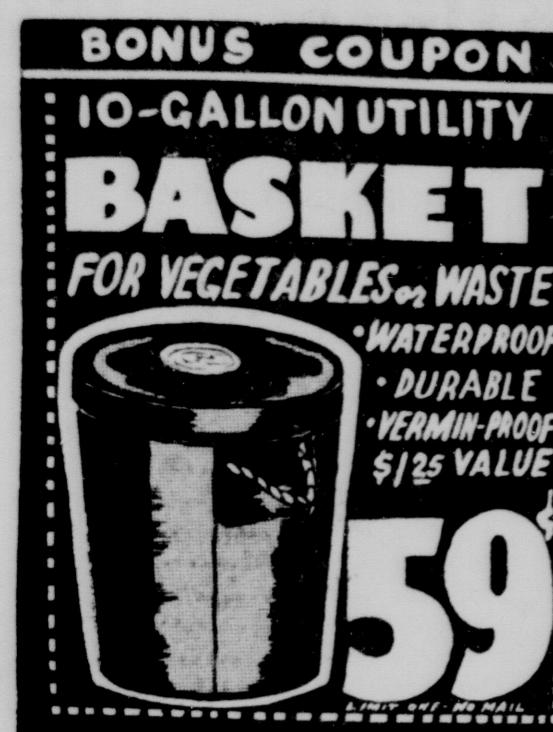
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No Date Set For Holland Preliminary

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of Judge C. W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, been dismissed. The charges will probably be dismissed within a few days as soon as Holland's lawyer, Fred F. Wesner, local attorney and Harned get together to discuss the setting of the hearing date.

Last Saturday Harned said the charges would be dismissed in the Bente court and would be refiled in another court with jurisdiction over the case, probably in the court of A. M. Harlan.

In the meantime Holland is being held in the Pettis county jail without bail.

The two headless bodies, found in the Lake of the Ozarks last mid-April, have been identified as those of Mrs. Holland, wife of Edgar and Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, mother of Mrs. Holland. Identification was made through the efforts of the highway patrol with the assistance of friends, relatives, and doctors. Finger-prints played a big part in the identification of Mrs. Holland, comparisons of the dead woman's prints being made with those found on articles at the Holland home.

Births . . .

Twins, a boy and a girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walters, 213 East Second street, Wednesday night at Bothwell hospital.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Finley, 5746 East Florence, Hollydale, Calif., on June 7. Mrs. Finley is the former Miss Pearl Kreisel and is the daughter of Fred Kreisel, 507 West Twentieth street. Mr. Finley is also a former Sedalian. Mr. and Mrs. Finley have another child.

Daughter, born June 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shultz at their home in Otterville. The baby weighed eight and one-half pounds and has been named Juanita Lavern.

Pentecostal Church Bible School Closes

The vacation Bible school at the Pentecostal Church of God at Sixth and Emmett streets, closed last Friday with the commencement program in the evening. The children were served ice cream the last day of the school.

The program was opened by song. Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. M. Arbuckle, followed by the pledge to the Bible and the flags and the school motto. Several chapters of the Bible were recited by the children, as well as songs and readings.

The children were given crowns with different colored stars for their work. Mrs. Charles Palmer acted as superintendent and junior teacher.

Mrs. C. H. Earhardt was the primary teacher, and Mrs. C. M. Arbuckle taught the intermediates. Mrs. D. A. Vanderlinden acted as assistant.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Whitley Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Lulu Whitley, 209 North Washington, who died Sunday, will be held at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon at the A. M. E. church with Rev. M. H. Vanhouse officiating.

The body will be taken to the family home at 6:30 o'clock this afternoon.

In addition to the many funerals we conduct for those who have policies in the insurance program we sponsor, our services are available to **EVERYONE**

Lieut. J. W. Russell Awarded Air Medal

Second Lieut. James W. Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Russell, 1608 East Broadway, has been awarded the air medal by Lt. Gen. Geo. C. Kenney, commander of Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific.

Lt. Russell, who is somewhere in New Guinea, is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school. He was graduated from the advanced flying school at Spence Army Air Field and qualified for aviation cadet training from the enlisted ranks.

B. F. Abbott, Minister, Dies

The Rev. Benjamin Franklin Abbott, retired Negro minister, died Wednesday at city hospital No. 2 after an illness of two weeks. He resided at 219 East St. Louis street.

Born in Lincoln county, Mo., January 11, 1867, he was the second oldest son of Peter and Doris Abbott. In January 1904 Benjamin Abbott entered George R. Smith college at Sedalia and after becoming graduated he spent some years teaching, in addition to preaching. He later did graduate work at Northwestern university, Chicago, Ill.

In 1893 he was married to Miss Estella Bolar of Sweet Springs, who survives him. He also leaves one son, Carl E. Abbott, a daughter, Muriel, and a brother, John Abbott of Sedalia, three nieces and one nephew, Benjamin Harvey, who is serving overseas.

Reverend Abbott served effectually five pastorates, climaxing his ministry at the Union Memorial church of St. Louis with 31 years of service. In 1921 he was appointed by the church as a delegate to the Ecumenical Conference which met in London, England. While abroad he visited Belgium, France, Italy and Germany.

He retired from the ministry in 1941, but was appointed by the Rev. Kirkpatrick, district superintendent of Sedalia district to fill the unexpired term of the Rev. W. F. Walker upon his death.

Funeral services will be held in St. Louis at Union Memorial church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. A short service will be conducted in Sedalia Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Reverends Moore and Kirkpatrick officiating.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

The body is at the Ferguson funeral home.

Fifth Army Captures Bracciano

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army captured Subiaco, about 8 miles south of the main highway running across the Italian peninsula from Rome to the Adriatic, and stabbled up on a lateral road which had been one of the main German lines of retreat.

Enemy Puts up Scrap
Around Subiaco, the site of an ancient Benedictine monastery, enemy tanks and infantry put up a stiff scrap and the line of advance for armored units was held to the road, which was cratered by demolitions. The villages of Venne and Vallepiedra were occupied in this area.

Enemy transport withdrawing toward Avezzano in the Apennines from Balsorano was shelled heavily, and 11 German Mark V tanks were found. Some of these had broken down and they were set afire by the Germans.

Report Articles Missing From Farm Home

George Anson reported to the police this morning that sometime in the past few days, thieves entered his farm home, a mile and a half north of Beaman. The following articles were reported missing: wrecking hammer, post hole digger, two iron skillets, one granite dish pan, dishes and silverware, an aluminum teakettle. The intruder is believed to have used pass key to gain entrance to the place.

Forfeits Traffic Bond.

Dr. W. H. Wheeler, 828 West Sixth street, forfeited a one dollar bond on a charge of making a left hand turn at Seventh street and Ohio avenue, when he failed to appear before Judge C. W. Bente.

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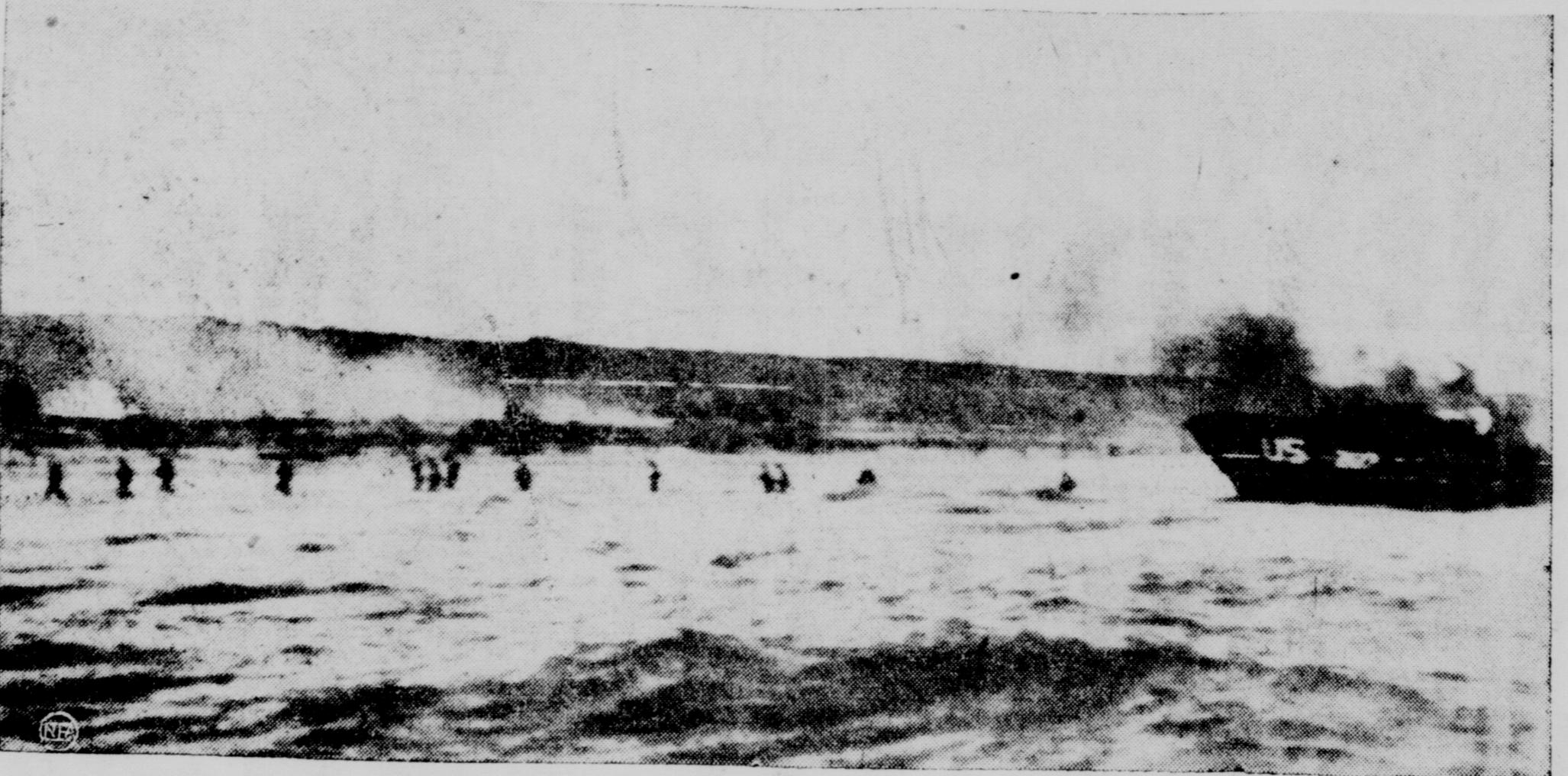
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Personals

Sgt. Walter Schmidle of Camp Roberts, Calif., and Mrs. Schmidle of Moberly are guests for a brief visit of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Walker, of the Dean apartments. Sgt. Schmidle is on a 21-day furlough and will leave next Monday for his camp. Last week Sgt. and Mrs. Schmidle were accompanied here by their nine-months-old son, Richard Gordon.

Maj. James Blue, who has been attending school at Fort Sill, Okla., left Wednesday for Camp Campbell, Ky., after spending a leave here visiting his wife of 1415 West Third street, and his mother, Mrs. E. A. Blue, 1404 East Fourth street.

Lieut. and Mrs. Bert O. Hathaway arrived Wednesday evening from Norfolk, Va., for a visit with Mrs. Hathaway's parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. U. Campbell, 315 West Fourth street, and after a few days here they will go to Kansas City where they will visit Lieut. Hathaway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hathaway.

Pvt. William Mullay, who has been spending a few days furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Mullay, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Walter's grandfather, Charles Neblitt, who died Wednesday. Funeral services will be held Friday.

Mrs. Pat Shea, 519 West Fourth street, has returned from a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. T. F. Sullivan, in Ennis, Tex.

Mrs. Charles E. Messerly, Jr., of St. Louis, Mich., will arrive today for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johns, 705 West Broadway.

Lieut. E. B. McNeill, Jr., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McNeil, 620 South Park avenue, left Wednesday for Fairmont, Neb., where he has recently been transferred from Alamogordo, N. M.

Mrs. Mary Van Hoesen of Des Moines, Ia., who has been visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Van Hoesen and daughter, C. R. Gottschalk, of Knob Noster, Paul Gottschalk, LaMonte, route 3, and Victor Gottschalk, of the Whi-Mo court.

Mrs. C. A. Wagner, and daughter, Miss Lydia Wagner, 225 South Missouri avenue, and granddaughter, Lydia Irene Wagner, 225 South Missouri avenue, and granddaughter, Lydia Irene Wagner, 1718 West Seventh street, are in Chicago, Ill., for a visit with their son, Oscar Wagner and family.

Mrs. Ralph Capes, 1904 South Stewart avenue, has returned from a visit in Pekin, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Denny, Jr., have returned to their home in Denver, Colo., after a visit here with Mr. Denny's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Denny, 1009 West Third street and Mrs. Denny's mother, Mrs. H. T. Small, 414 East Twelfth street.

Mrs. Elgin Smith and children, Jack, Sue and Judy, are here for a visit with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffman, 1411 South Ohio avenue and Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith, 1117 West Sixteenth street.

Mrs. K. E. Anderson and daughter, Mary Kay, have left for their home at Balboa, Calif., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Detmer, 616 East Twelfth street. They were accompanied by Miss Betty Anderson who will visit friends in California.

Pfc. Harold L. Gardner, of Camp Shelby, Miss., is home for a ten-day furlough which he is spending with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gardner, 1104 South Sneed avenue.

George Taylor, a former Pettis gouroun, residing at LaMonte and Sedalia for several years, now of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting friends and relatives in the country for a few weeks.

Mrs. Elmer Clark Stone of Colorado Springs, Colo., is visiting relatives here, Mrs. Jean Roderman, 409 East Fifth street, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lister, 900 South Quincy avenue, and Dr. and Mrs.

John M. Rodeman, 1015 South Barrett avenue.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams of Sedalia, left Tuesday morning to spend her vacation in Ridgecrest, N. C., where she will attend the B.S.U. convention.

Harry Lewis, former Sedalian, has returned to his home in Waco, Texas, after a visit with friends here.

Mrs. William Murphy and son, Danny Joe, left Thursday for Alexandria, La., to join their husband and father, Lieut. William J. Murphy, who is stationed at Camp Livingston, La. Mrs. Murphy has been with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp, Beaumont, Mo., for the past three months.

Mrs. Harold Hudson of Kansas City and daughter, Kay, spent several days the past week visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp and family at Beaumont.

Strong forces of heavy bombers, Allied southeast Asia command headquarters announced today. The raid Monday battered railway shops and marshaling yards and the port "city's defenses apparently were caught by surprise," the communiqué said.

American fliers, striking from central Pacific bases, carried new attacks to Guam, prewar U. S. naval base 1,595 miles east of Manila, to Nauru and Ponape.

Possession of Mokmer airfield came in a sudden drive which outflanked the Japanese. Held up on the coastal road west of their Bosnek beachhead, MacArthur's infantry threw a column inland and stormed Mokmer from behind. American losses were light, the communiqué said.

With Mokmer secured, the Yanks mounted a new assault toward Biak's other airfields — Boroke, two miles west and a mile inland and Orido, three and one-half miles west on the coast.

Obituaries

Charles Neblitt

Mrs. A. L. Walter and son, Charles, 1000 West Seventh street, left today for Hamburg, Iowa, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Walter's grandfather, Charles Neblitt, who died Wednesday.

Funeral services will be held in St. Louis at Union Memorial church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. A short service will be conducted in Sedalia Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Reverends Moore and Kirkpatrick officiating.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

The body is at the Ferguson funeral home.

Harvey Hale and Joseph Moffatt, Interment will be in Calvary cemetery.

Mr. Hamm died Monday evening at his home, 903 East Seventh street, after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Paul Teagarden sang "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer" and "Beneath the Sunset" accompanied by Mrs. R. B. Burke. Friends of the family served as pallbearers.

Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Beachhead Troops Join Paratroops

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bicycles and tanks to speed the advance.

British Advancing

A Berlin broadcast said British troops pushed through Bayeux early today and are advancing southwest toward the Vire river which cuts the peninsula.

On the third day of the invasion, Supreme Commander Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower declared, "My complete confidence in the ability of the Allied armies, navies and air forces to do all they are asked to do has been completely justified."

Even as he spoke, Berlin radio reported the Russians had launched an offensive north of Iasi in Romania—perhaps the beginning of a coordinated nutcracker blow from the east.

Eisenhower declared the ground troops are "performing magnificently," praised the naval landing operations as surpassing any other amphibious operation he has seen and lauded the "long and brilliant" aerial campaign that proved such effective preparation for the landings.

Powerful air armadas scourged German defenses today, with 750 to 1,000 Flying Fortresses and Liberators mauling bridges, railroad targets and airfields in an arc 100 to 150 miles south of the beachheads, and U. S. Marauders starting fires in Caen, southeast of Bayeux, toward which a beachhead force is driving.

Taking Prisoners

Canadian and British troops have captured several hundred prisoners and shot up numerous Nazi 88-millimeter guns, field reports said. Canadian press correspondent Ross Munro, with Canadians in an unidentified sector, said the Germans were reported falling back in one area under persistent attacks, and "strength is being built up rapidly in the Allied bridgeheads for the big battles which should come any day, or even any hour."

The German high command declared the Allies had opened an attack from the bridgehead between Caen and Bayeux and that Nazi forces counterattacked. It added, "Heavy fighting continues."

Police Car Damaged In Early Morning Crash

Considerable damage resulted to one of the Sedalia police department cars, driven by Officer Joe Gresham, when it was struck by an automobile driven by R. B. Ellis, 1509 South Stewart, at 5:45 o'clock this morning. Ellis pleaded guilty in police court this morning before Judge C. W. Bente, and was fined \$20, on a charge of careless driving.

The police car, known as Car No. 7, was headed north on Ohio Avenue. Ellis was going east on Broadway and made a left turn onto Ohio avenue, striking the side of the car police report. Slight damage resulted to the Ellis car.

Daughter Named Sandra Jane

The daughter born June 1 at Bothwell hospital to Cpl. and Mrs. Glenn Glenn of Otterville has been named Sandra Jean. The baby weighed eight pounds. Mrs. Glenn is the daughter of Mrs. Bernice Mills and is making her home with her mother at the present time. Cpl. Glenn is stationed in England.

Meeting Postponed

The committee of management for the USO club at Fifth street and Osage avenue, scheduled for tonight has been postponed and a meeting will be called for Thursday day of next week instead.

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DAILY WASHINGTON
merry-go-round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, June 8—White House insiders say that the president gave a great deal of thought to the timing of his permanent peace plan.

Here are the factors which caused him to launch his plan at this particular moment:

1. The Republican convention will now have to endorse the general thesis of world cooperation or else face the charge of heading the country toward another war.

If FDR had waited much longer,

he might have been accused of

springing the plan too late for the

Republicans to consider things

properly prior to the meeting in

Chicago, June 26.

2. FDR saw his old chief, Woodrow Wilson, wait until Europe no longer needed U. S. support to win the war, no longer needed food and relief. In contrast, the United States is at the peak of its war contribution, also at the peak of its bargaining power for peace-for-future machinery. The president decided to use that bargaining power when it had the greatest leverage.

3. Churchill's recent speech in parliament proposing world rule by the Big Powers, also helped precipitate announcement of the plan. The president some time ago accepted the Sumner Welles thesis that the little nations must play an important part in the post-war set-up and it was considered a good idea to remind Churchill of this.

4. U. S. prestige with European nations—Sweden, France, Yugoslavia, Spain, Ireland—is at a low ebb. So it was considered a good time to remind them that the USA is still a friend.

Note—One difference between Cordell Hull and Sumner Welles which led to their breakup was post-war peace planning. Welles long had argued that the time to develop the peace machinery of the world was now—before the war was over.

Mr. Hull, up until he went to Russia last fall, had informed senators that future peace machinery should be put off until after the

war and left entirely to the state department to decide.

Germany's Smart Choices

U. S. experts who have studied the Nazi military setup to resist invasion figure that Hitler—or whoever did the picking for him—was smart in his selection of German military leaders. Three of the best men in the German army have been given the job of combating what the Nazis know is the death thrust at Germany.

No. 1 is Field Marshal Karl von Rundstedt, considered the best strategist and over all commander in Germany. Field Marshal Erwin Rommel, immediately under him, is the best man for lightning moves and panzer tactics.

Finally, Colonel General Heinz Guderian is considered the best tank commander in the German army.

U. S. experts, who believe in looking facts in the face, classify these three as among the top military brains of Europe.

However, what size and caliber of troops they have been able to spare from the Russian front may be more important than generals.

Crack Air Ace Major de Seversky has been doing something besides design new planes lately. He has been dancing jigs before one-legged U. S. soldiers in hospitals to show them what a one-legged man can do if he has to. Seversky had his right leg shot off in World War I, but he says it was a godsend because he was able to smuggle \$50,000 out of Russia in his wooden leg. His visits have given a lot of cheer and hope to one-legged veterans. . . . Ranting Representative Rankin of Mississippi says he has it all set so presidential electors will not vote for Roosevelt in the electoral college but pass the buck to the house of representatives where he plans to have Harry Byrd elected president. . . . Jim Farley is reported to have helped hatch the plan to have the electoral college revolt against Roosevelt. Apparently Jim did it during his soft drink migrations around the country. . . . Congratulations to Lt. Harry B. Paul Barnhart for bringing laughter to the boys in the South Pacific with his army show "Stars and Giggles". . . . Governor Willis of Kentucky is getting the reputation among Kentuckians of veering toward petticoat influence in the palace. Mrs. Willis seems to have quite a bit of influence.

Green Light for 28 Airports

The president doesn't often loosen up on funds for municipal projects these war days, but it now looks as if 28 new airports in 17 states would get the presidential green light, despite the fact that they had been stopped by the airport approval board.

If so, a group of legislators who

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Just Town Talk

A LITTLE Girl WHO HAD ATTENDED BIBLE SCHOOL FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS YEAR WAS TELLING HER MOTHER ALL ABOUT Everything WHAT THEY DID WHAT SHE HAD LEARNED AND GIVING ALL DETAILS "I KNOW Just HOW IT Was" SAID THE Mother "IT'S A Combination

OF A Sunday School AND KINDERGARTEN" THEN MODERN YOUTH SURPRISED HER BY STOPPING FURTHER CONVERSATION ON THE PART OF HER Mother BY SAYING "NOW MOTHER YOU NEVER WENT TO BIBLE School— YOU SAID YOU DIDN'T— SO YOU Don't Know A THING About It" I THANK YOU.

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The president had prepared some advance ammunition when they arrived—a letter from the war department telling of the detailing of all the airports authorized for the country. He proceeded to read it in order to discourage his callers even before they got started.

"I'm glad you brought that up, Mr. President," said Congressman Randolph of West Virginia, "because that's just the opposite of what we have here. In this case, these communities had been approached by the government and urged to build airports for war uses. The communities did not take the initiative. But when urged by the government, they then cooperated 100 per cent. Men went on personal notes to borrow the money until bond issues could be floated. Land was purchased, buildings razed, \$4,000,000 was spent by these communities. And then suddenly they find that someone in Washington has changed his mind."

Here Representative Stevenson of Wisconsin picked up the argument.

"Take the city of La Crosse," he said. "The people of La Crosse went to extreme lengths to cooperate with the government. They condemned land and actually forced families to move from 40 parcels of land in order to clear the airport site. And when a school refused to move, the people of La Crosse got the Wisconsin legislature to pass a new law making it possible to condemn the schoolhouse.

"Then, after all this trouble—after tearing down buildings, and when the contractor had all his machinery on the spot ready to start—your order of March 9 comes through, ruling that the airport is not a military necessity."

"Yes," interrupted Senator Burton of Ohio, "your ruling had the effect of saying that those communities which had put their shovels in the ground could go ahead with their airports, while those with shovels suspended in mid-air could not."

The president agreed that his order had been too strict in differentiating between airports that had already started work and those with their land all ready to start. Meanwhile, Representative Stevenson went on to tell about the La Crosse project and how only a few weeks ago an army bomber, enroute from Minneapolis to Chicago, was forced down on

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

E. J. Martin, general freight and passenger agent of the A. and P. railway, of San Antonio, Texas, has written to Secretary J. R. Rippey, asking for space in which to make a large display of Texas products at the approaching Missouri State Fair.

The county court has granted a dramshop license to Frank McAllister, of the Opera House bar.

Burglars made an ineffectual attempt to gain an entrance to Mrs. H. L. LaFlesh's apartments, over Bard's Ohio street drug store, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

W. F. Keyser, secretary of the Missouri Bankers' association, the headquarters of which has been removed from Butler to Sedalia, is here, and has leased a suite of rooms for office purposes in the Hoffman building, at Fifth and Ohio streets. Mr. Keyser is a single man, and his home was formerly at Windsor.

Prof. L. E. Friemel and two members of his orchestra went to Warrensburg this morning to record the music for a social function there this afternoon.

what was to have been the airport and nearly wrecked.

"A colonel had to come up from Madison, Wis., to get the plane out," Stevenson said.

"Only a colonel?" interrupted the president. "And after I've signed so many commissions for major generals, I'll bet he was a major general by the time he got back to Madison."

In the end, the president seemed much impressed.

"It would seem that the government has a moral obligation to the people who have done all this work," he said and promised to re-examine the whole matter.

Word has since leaked out of the White House that the result probably will be a green light for the following 28 airports: Alturas, Calif.; Winter Haven, Fla.; Decatur, Quincy and Springfield, Ill.; Dubuque and Waterloo, Iowa; Lawrence, Mass.; Pellston, Mich.; Bemidji and Duluth, Minn.; Danville, N. Y.; Springfield, Mo.; Greenbush, N. C.; Jamestown, N. D.; Canton, Mansfield and Springfield, Ohio; Johnstown and Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Denton and Georgetown, Texas; Danville, Va.; Martinsburg, Parkersburg, Wheeling and Wiley Ford, W. Va.; and La Crosse, Wis.

**Murder Charge
In Harlan Death**

BOONVILLE, Mo., June 8—(P)

—A charge of first degree murder has been filed against H. E. Arnold, 60, Boonville, in the death of Dr. H. L. Harlan, 75, Prosecutor T. G. Woolsey said Wednesday.

Dr. Harlan, a dentist in Boonville for 38 years, died Tuesday morning following an altercation with Arnold on a Boonville street Monday afternoon, the prosecutor said.

Dr. Harlan fell to the pavement, Woolsey said, and suffered a brain injury.

An argument over a lawsuit in which a judgment for Dr. Harlan against Arnold was entered, led to the fight, witnesses declared. Two police officers testified that Arnold had been drinking and was intoxicated when he met Dr. Harlan.

After hearing evidence this afternoon, a coroner's jury found

a small die which is hit with a hammer. Eunice trots around stamping everyone's for them—for some reason she likes to do it.

Since she is probably five times as fast as I am, I get her to do my inspection stamping and return

I do her filing, because it makes

her "blood go goose-pimples."

EVERYONE eats more or less perpetually: sandwiches (always one at the "five-minutes"), pretzels, candy bars. Everything is passed around to one's immediate neighbors, and it is difficult to refuse without giving offense. Almost everyone chews gum steadily; brilliant posters in the cafeteria tell us that gum steadies our nerves and helps the war effort. Perhaps so with some, with me it decidedly hinders any effort of any kind other than that of chewing. I try in vain to copy the calm rhythm of my fellows, but gum-chewing is, for me, an occupation to which one gives heart and soul and body, all one's faculties and all one's energies. So, at risk of offending, I generally refuse, and this is accepted along with my other idiosyncrasies.

We climb up onto our packing case at lunch time, Eunice, Gert and I. We each have two sandwiches and an apple or an orange. Eunice and Gert have grabbed bottles of soda from the wagon; I have coffee. Half an hour is longer than you think; we finish eating and stroll over to a "smoking section." That is the only drawback to our packing case; it is in a "restricted area." Why? What makes that edge of the field more inflammable than another part? No one knows. "Why aren't you allowed to smoke here?" I asked a guard. He looked at me pityingly. "Because of that there sign, sister—if you can read." I was withered.

Gert, Jennie and I dress unglamorously in cotton blouses and blue slacks; so do a good many others, but the majority agree to look nice, so they wear alarming "pajama suits," bright yellow, pale pink, gorgeously flowered. All the girls wear makeup and keep it constantly touched up, and I discovered recently that Gert has been quite troubled about me because I didn't renew my lipstick with sufficient frequency. "That's the first thing I noticed about you, Annie," she told me, in a talk as intimate as a Lifebuoy ad; she had figured that up where I came from maybe girls let themselves go like that, but just the same, it made her a little un-

**Wounded By
Rifle Bullet**

William Rimel, 21, of 1725 South Carr avenue, suffered a wound in the right leg shortly before 7 o'clock Wednesday evening when a .22 calibre rifle was discharged accidentally as he was loading it while standing near the Flat Creek bridge on south highway 65.

He was brought to the Bothwell hospital by Mrs. Gladys Flowers, owner of Flat Creek Inn, and treatment and tetanus antitoxin were administered by Dr. J. W. Boger. Rimel was dismissed to return to his home.

He worked at the Missouri Pacific shops during the day and with a friend rode to Flat Creek on bicycles and set out fishing lines. They had brought along the rifle and Rimel was loading it when the accident occurred.

The bullet entered the inner surface and emerged through the outer surface of the calf of his leg. His condition is not considered serious.

that Dr. Harlan's death had been due to a head injury received in a fall on a sidewalk and that Arnold had been responsible for the fall.

**Lions Club in
Business Session**

The Lions club met Wednesday at the Hildebrandt cafe, St. Francis hotel, with Milton Overstreet, president presiding.

The meeting was devoted to business relative to installation of officers which will be June 28. J. E. Smith and Cline Cain will be the installing officers with Sam Highleyman the third member of the committee.

Visitors at today's meeting were Staff Sgt. Russell Conn, guest of his father, Roy Conn, and H. E. Engle, guest of Sam Highleyman.

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Mary Sue Lockney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lockney, of Houstonia underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids Wednesday.

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Capt. Lillyman Assigned to Blaze Trail

His 48th Jump, But First Into Battle

By Howard Cowan

A U.S. PARACHUTE CARRIER BASE, June 8.—(P)—Capt. Frank Lillyman, the first Allied soldier to touch France in the assault from the west, didn't know when the invasion would come but he had been informed days in advance that whenever it came he would draw the No. 1 spot.

The cigar smoking 29-year-old parachute troop officer from Syracuse, N. Y., was told of his trail-blazing assignment along with Lt. Col. J. L. Crouch, Riverside, Calif., and their hand-picked crews. Crouch was the pilot of the big Douglas C-47 which was the lead plane of the parachute troop carriers.

They all trained together with special equipment which permitted pinpoint precision landings so they could direct other parachute troops and gliders to the "DZ"—Dropping Zone. The parachute troops carriers went in by the light of the moon before the assault that he has been seeing plenty of action on the French coast from the sea.

(A dispatch from the combat transport USS Barnett said that Capt. Leonard T. Schroeder, 25, of Baltimore, Md., may have been the first man to reach the French beach from the sea.)

Schroeder was the commander of the infantry company in the first assault boat which arrived on the beach within fewer than 60 seconds of H-hour Tuesday morning.

He wrote that he had received several copies of the Sedalia Democrat-Capital from a friend, Junior DeWan of Smithton, who is also in the navy and stationed somewhere in the general area. He said it was certainly good to see a copy of the home town paper again.

In telling of the different types of entertainment aboard ship he said they have a splendid band which plays every evening, motion pictures nearly every night and said that he played in a basketball tournament.

It was Lillyman's 48th jump, but his first into battle. As on the preceding 47 leaps he clenched a lighted cigar between his teeth.

"It's just pet superstition," he told me shortly after he and the crew were isolated in preparation for the big event. "I never got burned but once. I swallowed the end of one once. When I don't get enough stories from my ration (12 weekly) I have spares from home. My wife sends 'em."

Dad didn't like it much when I went in the paratroops — that was back in April of '42 at Ft. Benning. He was an old horse cavalry man in the regular army."

His father, the late Maj. Frank G. Lillyman, died March, 1943, in an army hospital at Leavenworth, Kas. He lived at Crocker, Mo.

"Dad was an honest to goodness soldier of fortune," Lillyman said. "He served in the Argentine navy, the Brazilian cavalry and the U. S. navy and army."

Lillyman served for a time as a cub reporter on two Binghamton, N. Y., newspapers, the Press and Sun, and he said his work consisted of "writing sports and high school news and helping out election nights."

"But before I go any further," he suddenly interrupted himself, "I want to tell you not to go blowing me all up for this. It was those boys with me who got the job done."

COMMUNITY NEWS from California

By Mrs. J. E. Zey

Funeral services for J. E. Reichel, 76, farmer, who died at his home in McGirk, were held at the McGirk Baptist church, the Rev. J. S. Laws, officiating. Burial was in the McGirk cemetery. Survivors are the following seven sons and a daughter: Homer Reichel, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Oscar Reichel, California, Mo.; Clarence Reichel, McGirk; Victory Reichel, California, Mo.; Archie Reichel, Bonnville; Walter Reichel, California, Mo.; Pet. Lloyd Reichel, Camp Campbell, Ky.; and Mrs. Edna Scott, Sedalia.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sedona Hulda Owens, wife of J. Frank Owens, 70, who died at her home in California, Mo., were held at the Baptist church in California, the Rev. J. S. Laws officiating. Burial was in the city cemetery. Survivors are her husband and the following three daughters and son: Mrs. Aubrey Simmons, St. Louis; Mrs. Lloyd Voight and Mrs. Clarence Pummill, California, Mo.; and Herbert Owens, St. Louis. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Paul and Bruno Schieber, Jefferson City; Mrs. Will Wagner and Mrs. Hunziker, Centertown; and Mrs. J. K. Anderson, Vallejo, Calif.

Funeral services for George William Voight, 88, who died at his home near Jamestown, were held at Union Baptist church, the Rev. Ivan Dameron officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. He was a member of the Evangelical church. Survivors are the following children: Robert Voight, Jamestown; Mrs. William Wiseman, Windsor; Mrs. B. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Tuecker of Wichita, Kas., are spending their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tuecker.

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NEW CROP CABBAGE	lb. 5¢
JUICY SUNKIST LEMONS	lb. 13¢
GREEN BEANS	lb. 15¢
Persian LIMES	lb. 25¢
Cherry Red RADISHES	2 bchs. 15¢
White RADISHES	2 bchs. 15¢
Home Grown BEETS	2 bchs. 15¢
Standard CORN No. 2 Can 10¢	
Standard PEAS No. 2 Can 12¢	
Standard TOMATOES 3 No. 2 cans 29¢	
Avondale TOMATOES No. 2 Can 12¢	
Standard SPINACH No. 2½ Can 14¢	
Country Club SPINACH No. 2½ Can 16¢	
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IV—Employment**32—Help Wanted—Female**

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33—**Help Wanted—Male**

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34—**Help—Male and Female**

WANTED EXPERIENCED help—Waitress and kitchen. Kueck's, 625.

WANTED CHICKEN PICKERS—Producers Produce Company, St. Louis and Mill Streets.

HELP WANTED—man or woman for Janitor work at Kahn Building. Apply St. Louis Clothing Company, 2nd and Ohio.

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HELP WANTED: Men and women to work in Egg Breaking department mornings, afternoons or evenings. Here is your opportunity to work on the home front. Good pay. Time and one-half for overtime. Apply in person. Swift and Company, Main and Grand.

WANTED: MEN AND WOMEN no age limit, to represent a National publication. Car helpful, but not necessary. To call on farmers and people living in small towns. Sales campaign unlike any other. Address Box 1445 South Side Station, Springfield, Missouri.

36—**Situation Wanted—Female**

WANTED DAY WORK, curtains and blankets laundered. Phone 1328 evenings.

V—Financial**40—Money to Loan—Mortages**

CHOICE FARM LOANS 4%, no commission. See W. D. Smith.

BORROW WHERE YOU WILL—the money is the same. Investigate our type Real Estate Loans; service rendered; pre-payment privilege and NET COST. Herbert L. Zoernig, 112 West 4th.

59—**Household Goods**

DRESSERS, small cook stove, wood heating stove, 2 rocking chairs, tables. 646 East 5th.

SOLID OAK—dining room suite, oak dresser, library table, odd chairs, fruit jars. 600 East 16th—1561.

BEST GRADE Wilton rug, Anglo-Persian, 11x15. Cost \$250; pad \$20. Perfect condition. Both for \$115. Quick sale. Edward Hein, Beaman, Missouri.

62—Musical Merchandise

UPRIGHT PIANO \$25.00. Poor condition. Give telephone number for appointment. Box "19-A" care Democrat.

62A—Radio Equipment

PHILCO RADIO for sale. Phone 2303-J or 705 East 5th.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

TOMATO-CABBAGE plants. 35¢ a hundred. 1822 Ingram.

WE PAY — for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia, Phone 3033.

19—Poultry and Supplies

FRYERS FOR SALE—Phone 3575.

CULL YOUR HENS—Keep your layers but sell the non-layers immediately. Swift's will cull your flock and buy your market poultry. Phone 148. Swift and Company.

64—Specials At The Stores**BUY BINDER TWINE NOW!**

Binder twine is the best we know of—uniform with no thin spots. Lattice-wound won't snarl or knot. Insect repellent treated. Priced at big savings — \$6.85 per bale. \$1.14 per ball.

WARDS FARM STORE**VII—Live Stock****49—Poultry and Supplies**

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TOP PRICE PAID for quality frys and hens Will Farris Phone 177.

50—Wanted—Live Stock

WANTED HORSE for garden work. Call Watkins, Otterville, 103.

COWS TO MILK for ½ of milk check, good pasture. Box 50, Route 2, Stover, Missouri.

COMMUNITY NEWS from La Monte**La Monte****Mrs. Mary Patton**

T/5 I. A. Cross, Jr., returned to Camp Ellis, Ill., recently, after a 15-day leave spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hogan and baby daughter, Sharon, of Cainville, arrived for a few days visit with Mrs. Hogan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wharton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davidson and daughters, Mrs. Orville Lehmer and Betty Gayle, and Mrs. C. I. Phipps of Kansas City spent the week-end with friends. They were guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Burke.

Miss Eula Pace of Independence arrived recently to visit over Decoration Day with Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Agee and the family of G. L. Reynolds.

Lieut. John E. Carroll has returned to his station after a five-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gillum, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Grover D. Stitt, all of Topeka, Kas., spent Decoration Day with Mrs. Gillum's sister, Mrs. B. F. Parker, and Mr. Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Gillum and Mr. and Mrs. Stitt will spend a week at the Parker cabin at Fairfield before returning home.

Mrs. Cassie Smith recently received a message telling of the death of a sister, Mrs. W. E. Amos, of Jefferson City. Mr. Amos had died only a few days previously.

Miss Elizabeth Gregory of Kansas City spent the week-end with her brother, W. E. Gregory, and the family of her nephew, Edward Gregory.

Mrs. Roy Rice and daughter, Alberta, and Mrs. Harold Rice and son, Wayne, spent Decoration Day with Mrs. Rice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Reynolds and daughter, Virginia, had as

VIII—Merchandise**Continued****66—Wanted To Buy**

SLEEPING ROOM FOR rent. 916 South Lamine avenue.

WANTED—Small Electric Washer for apartment. Phone 2883-J.

WANTED—Electric Fans. Purley Electric Company. Phone 104.

OLD HOUSEES—Lumber, windows and doors. Call Tom Ware 2664.

MOWER AND SULKY rake. Good condition. Write A. F. Campbell, Tipton.

CASH—for your furniture, stoves and rugs. Callies Furniture Co. Phone 412.

GOOD USED motorcycle. William F. Smith, 904 South Stewart after 6 p. m.

OAK POSTS—Write or call Harold Hill, Smithton.

BEDS, dressers, small tables, fruit jars, other articles. Phone 1209.

SUITCASES—3 sizes. \$2.73

Pitches Using Either Of Arms

KANSAS CITY, June 7.—(P)—Jimmy Wadlow, 22-year-old pitcher who can throw from either port or starboard arm, is trying to make up his mind whether to be right or left-handed when he tries out with Sacramento of the Pacific coast league.

Wadlow is registered as a righthander but he always has carried a pretty fair spare tire in his southpaw, even before he broke his right arm serving up a fast pitch in 1941.

"I've got a lot more speed and a better curve when I'm a southpaw," said Jimmy while visiting his parents here. "But my control is bad from the port side."

Cut loose by York, Pa., of the Interstate league after he had beaten Wilmington, 4-2, in his only start of the season, Jimmy began thinking seriously about switching to southpawing.

"My arm felt good but after I beat Wilmington it got tight and sore. Maybe I'll give it another try in the warm California sunshine. Then, if it doesn't come around, I'll concentrate on my left-handed control. Who knows, maybe I'll have two good pitching arms eventually."

Jimmy, who signs paychecks lefthanded, won 17 and lost three in 1941 with the Solar Aircraft semi-pro club of San Diego before he broke his arm. As the result he skipped the 1942 baseball season. He went back to starboard hurling last year in Los Angeles and also played first base and the outfield, lefthanded.

Jim Ross, scout for Sacramento offered him a job this spring but Wadlow decided he'd rather start a notch lower so Hollis Thurston, old White Sox pitcher now scouting for Pittsburgh's Pirates, lined Jimmy up with York.

If Wadlow makes the grade as a southpaw, he'll have a good model in Max Lanier of the Cards who switched to the portside after breaking his right arm. Ed Head of Brooklyn reversed the process. And Calvin McLish, Dodger rookie right hander, also can throw with his left.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, June 8.—(P)—It's a long way from the football season but apparently it's the open season on football teams and players on the Pacific Coast . . . Reports trickling east so far indicate that Bill Freehove, who broke into pro football as water boy for the Washington Redskins when they first went west, has distributed at least six franchises in his newly-formed American league and three of the cities already were occupied by the Pacific Coast pro league . . . The airborne "mystery" league, figuring on no fewer than four west coast clubs, will be ready to go after the war, Bill (Ex-Phillie) Cox reported on a recent visit to Seattle . . . A number of others, especially in the northwest, are ready to go and one of the latest reports is that Dutch Clark may sign to coach the Seattle American league club . . . The National league hasn't quit on the west coast, even though Actor Don Ameech has decided he likes horses better than footballs (hay, even at \$5 a ton, is cheaper than steaks) . . . Well, it ought to be a merry little scrap.

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TODAY Guest Star
Joe Grotter, Paterson, N. J., Evening News: "Roy Vangraafan, veteran International league umpire who has been a holdout since the beginning of the baseball season, finally came to terms with Frank Shaughnessy, league president . . . Who ever heard of an umpire expecting more money for calling a strike?"

One-Minute Sports Page
Jackie Haynes, former White Sox second baseman forced to retire from baseball in 1940 because of eye ailment, has become totally blind. He recently obtained a seeing dog . . . Nobody at West Point will say so, but football folks there give the impression they don't expect to play the 1944 Army-Navy game in the seclusion of either Annapolis or West Point. . . . The Iowa State high school baseball tournament, shifted from Manson (Pop. 1,382) to Fort Dodge (Pop. 21,895) this year because of flood conditions, failed to meet expenses for the first time . . . Cefino Garcia, former middle-

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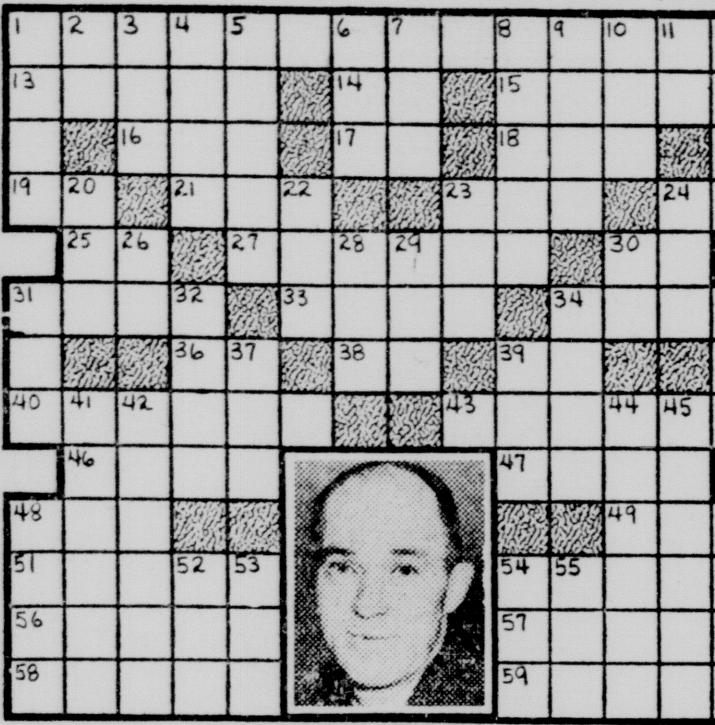
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16 Companion 6 Fate
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Milwaukee 7-2, Louisville 5-1.

Toledo 6-4, St. Paul 2-1,

Kansas City 3, Indianapolis 2.

Minneapolis 4, Columbus 3.

Athletics Boom After the War

MOSCOW, Idaho, June 8.—(P)—

Edwin H. Atherton, Pacific Coast conference athletic commissioner, today predicted a tremendous boom in collegiate athletics after the war.

"The return of service men whose education will be subsidized by the government will encourage enrollment of men who had not previously intended to go to college," said Atherton on a visit to the University of Idaho.

Utah Open June 23-July 21

SALT LAKE CITY, June 8.—(P)—

The starting date for the annual \$1,000 Utah open golf tournament has been changed from June 23 to July 21.

Brick Woods, chairman of the arrangements committee, said today that Byron Nelson and Harold McSpaden, leading money winners, plan to compete.

California Tennis Titles

BERKELEY, Calif., June 8.—(P)—

For four hours and 35 minutes they panted and patted the tennis ball to and fro. The score: 5-7,

13-11, 14-12. Don Lowenstein of San Francisco, was the wittiest winner;

Vernon Freethy, University of San Francisco, the tuckerred out loser in the California state tennis championships.

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COMMUNITY NEWS from

Smithton

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Monsees received word recently from their son, T/Sgt. Everett Monsees, stating he had arrived safely somewhere in New Guinea.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott was a scene of a triple celebration Sunday when the wed-

ding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Scott and the birthdays of his sisters, Mrs. W. E. Hudson and Mrs. Archie Peoples were observed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott and children, Norma Louise, Donald and Carolyn Ann, Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Peoples and children, Mason and Margie Jane, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hudson and children, Mary Frances, Bobby Lee and Unice Lillian, Mrs. Edwards and Marjorie Edwards.

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Large Crowd At YMCA-USO Celebration

Held at First Christian Church Tuesday Night

The Service Recognition banquet in observance of the first anniversary of the USO club at its present location, Fifth street and Osage avenue, and the centennial anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. was held at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the First Christian church, with one hundred ninety-seven persons in attendance.

A large bouquet of red carnations and stocks was on the speaker's table, and strips of red crepe paper were used down the center of the table. At each end was a large flag, one an American flag the other a USO flag. Seated at the speakers' table were: Chaplain and Mrs. William M. Lewis and son, Rev. H. U. Campbell, Rev. A. J. Brunswick, I. H. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Van Zandt, Warrant Officer Tom Mooney, Lieut George Darnell, Miss Sylvia Sufrin, Lieut Dale Baer and Mrs. Carl Urban.

Members of various organizations were seated at other tables in groups, with cards made by Miss Mary Lu Zink designating each group.

Low bouquets of red rambler roses and Queen Ann's lace decorated the other tables with red, white and blue crepe paper down the center of the tables. Paper napkins were of red and blue.

Miss Juanita Young and Mrs. Carl Urban were in charge of invitations, Mrs. J. C. Connor and Miss Roseanne Dugan, decorations, and Wayne Van Zandt and Mrs. A. R. Beach arranged the program.

Music By Orchestra

Music was furnished by the USO orchestra preceding the dinner and during the seating of the guests.

The speaker of the evening was Chaplain William M. Lewis, S. A. A. F. base chaplain, who took for his subject: "What Are We Fighting For?"

Invocation was given by Rev. A. J. Brunswick.

Rev. H. U. Campbell, president of the Sedalia USO council, was toastmaster and gave the welcoming address.

"Appreciation from the S. A. A. F." was given by Lieut. Dale Baer.

"Thanks from the American Red Cross at S. A. A. F." by Miss Sylvia Sufrin.

"Response from Sedalia and Thanks to Our Community, Individuals and Organizations," Mrs. Carl Urban.

Introduction of Pfc. Teddy Block, master of ceremonies for the SAAF entertainers composed of the WAC quartette, Glider Band and the guest soloist, Pvt. Jack Vogas.

Wayne Van Zandt Speaks

D-Day, centennial of the Y. M. C. A. and service recognitions were then spoken of by W. Van Zandt, director of the USO. At this time recognition was made of persons who had served fifty, or a hundred hours, or more, and particular recognition to those who had given special services. Members of the following organizations received recognition: Sedalia USO Council and Committee of Management, USO program committee, Girls Service Organization and GSO advisory council, USO orchestra, USO choir, USO chaperons, Service Wives club,

"At Least Planes Come Back Despite Claims Of "Jinx"

(The following story was written by Lt. Louis Oliszky, Milwaukee, Wis., a marine corps public relations officer, formerly with the Milwaukee Journal and distributed by the Associated Press).

Somewhere in the Marshall Islands—(delayed) —from "Lucky" to "Jinx."

This change of nicknames for Cpl. James R. Graves, 21, of Rushville, Mo., pretty much tells the story of his fortunes as a marine dive bomber gunner in the aerial campaign here. He has participated in 16 missions over Jap-held atolls in this area and his plane has been hit twice by enemy anti-aircraft.

The first hit occurred on March 15 in an attack on Mille. The bomb failed to release, so the plant went up for its second try—alone.

At it went into the dive, a bul-

let entered through the engine and wounded the pilot, 1st Lt. Harry L. Burge, Los Angeles, Calif.

Keeps Plane On "Right Track"

Lt. Burge had trouble flying the plane home. Every time it began to swerve, Cpl. Graves manipulated the emergency stick in his compartment to keep the plane on "the right track."

As a matter of fact, he helped pull the plane out of its dive after it was hit. Then he threw out the heavy guns to lighten the load.

All the while he worked without benefit of a phone. The "intercom" went dead and he was unable to converse with Lt. Burge.

Periodically, he stood on the seat to peek into the pilot's compartment to check the compass for direction. The plane came back to base, executed a perfect landing.

Cpl. Graves was immediately baptized "Lucky" by the boys.

The succession of experience that followed, however, each time with Cpl. Graves as the plane's gunner, shed a new light on his charms.

On one of the subsequent hops, the plane of which he was gunner was hit over Maloelap. Then, when ever a returning plane made a bad landing, it was a good guess that Cpl. Graves was in it. He usually was.

The pay-off and re-baptism came when a plane made a one-wheel landing and was damaged. The other wheel stuck. Yes, Cpl. Graves was the gunner.

He was "Jinx" from then on. The boys even, kiddingly, named him the "Jonah" of Lt. Burge's plane.

The pilots, nevertheless, are afraid with him in the plane.

"At least," they say, "the planes come back."

Cpl. Graves' next of kin is his brother, Warren, of Rushville. He enlisted Dec. 12, 1942.

The soybean was known in China more than 5000 years ago.

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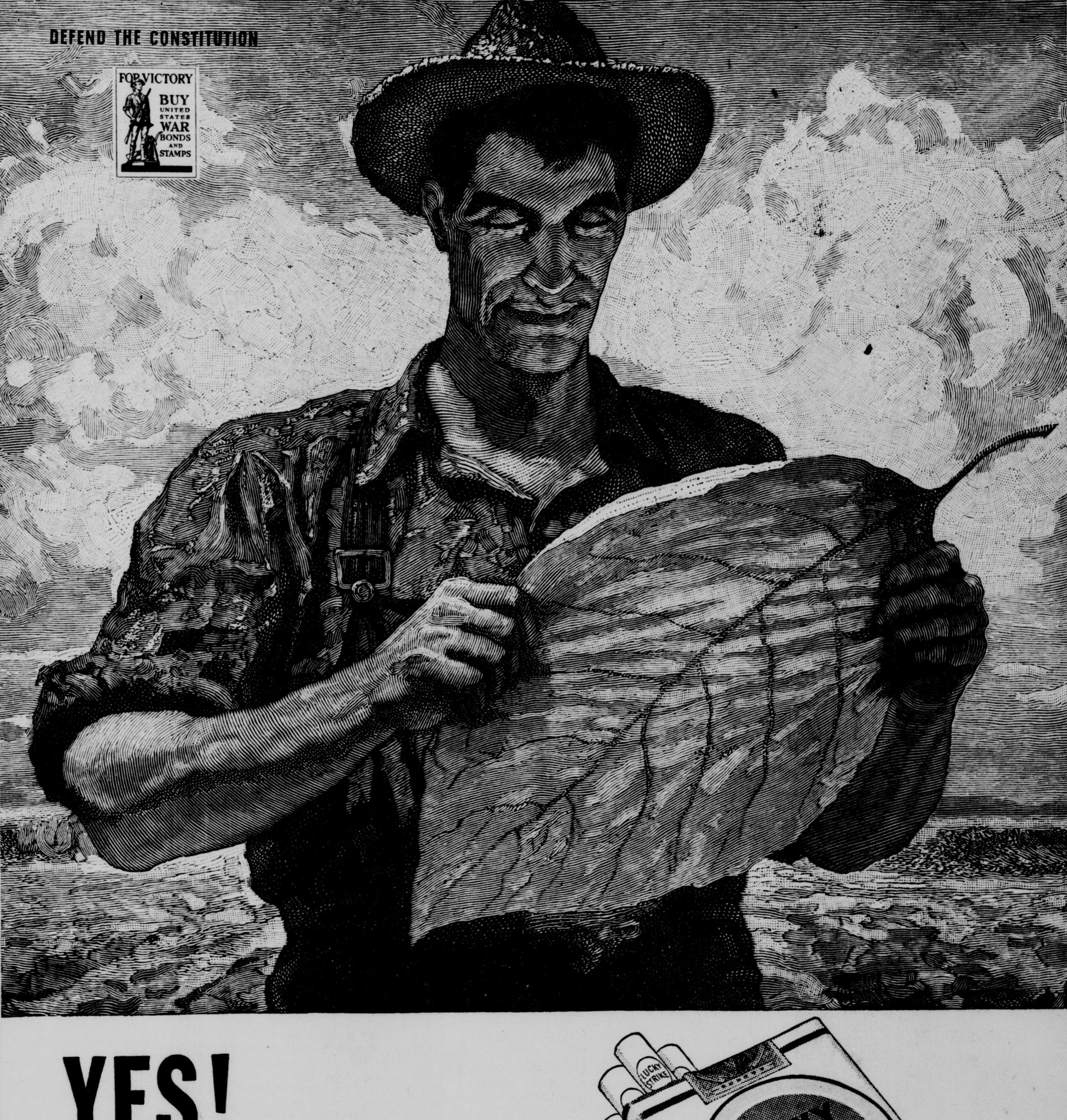
A program by USO entertainers was given: Vocal solo, "The American Prayer," Miss Frances Brunckhorst; violin solo, "Stardust," Mrs. John Rodeman and vocal solo, "My Kind of People," by Mrs. Robert Seelan. Miss Lilian Fox was the accompanist.

A selection by the USO choir directed by Mrs. A. R. Beach was "Open Thine Eyes," by McFarlane.

Community singing was led by Mrs. A. R. Beach with Miss Lilian Fox as accompanist.

The banquet was served by the women of the First Christian church.

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Gain of 26 Miles For 24 Hours

Fifth Army Of U. S. Troops In The Capture Of Civita Castellana

By EDWARD KENNEDY

ROME, June 8.—(P)—In lightning drives of as much as 26 miles in 24 hours, the Allied Fifth army today captured Civita Castellana, 32 miles north of Rome, after other swift armored units had pounded through Civitavecchia, important seaport 38 miles northwest of the Italian capital.

Only the slightest resistance was being encountered by Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's troops as they pressed after the reeling German 14th army, which an Allied spokesman declared had been reduced to "battered remnants there yet was no indication where the disorganized enemy would attempt to halt the Allied steamroller.

Civita Castellana is the junction of three main highways and two electric railways. Light reconnaissance units entered the town early in the evening. Civitavecchia is a city of 36,000 population, with docks that will be of value to the pursuing Allied forces.

A third Fifth army column drove into Bracciano, ancient iron smelting center 19 miles northwest of Rome near Lake Bracciano, and also threw an arm around the eastern side of the lake. Secretary of War Stimson reported that American Forces suffered 2,379 casualties in the fierce three-day battle preceding the capture of Rome. Total U. S. Casualties from the landing at Salerno last September to May 30 were placed at 57,529.

Captured in the swift thrust northward was the former headquarters of the Nazi Commander, Field Marshal Albert Kesselring. The "elaborate, tunneled underground stronghold" was situated about three miles southeast of Civita Castellana.

Slash Armies of Nazis

An Allied spokesman declared that the battered remnants of the German 14th army are in a considerable state of disorganization "and disclosed that upwards of 40 enemy units were represented among prisoners captured since Rome fell."

Both the enemy 10th and 14th armies now have been so slashed up that there is no possibility of either group sending reinforcements to any other fighting front in Europe. That was one of the principal aims of the Italian offensive.

General Clark's speedy drives west and north of Rome are being accomplished despite large-scale Nazi demolitions. Every bridge over the Tiber for a distance of 37 miles north of Rome has been destroyed, and the main highway north to Civita Castellana is struck deep craters.

Lt. Gen. Sir Oliver Leese's Eighth army, punching northward east of the Tiber, captured the important town of Monterotondo, 12 miles northeast of Rome, and the nearby villages of Saint' Angelo, Romano, Guidonia and Montana.

Airport Work Not City Duty

Grading and preliminary work on the Sedalia airport, on the old highway 50, west of Sedalia, is progressing. T. H. Yount, first ward alderman and chairman of the city council airport committee said Thursday.

Mr. Yount was somewhat worried Wednesday, following motion taken just before adjournment of the city council Monday night. Richard Keenan, opposed to the present plan of development of the airport for a flying school, offered a motion "that after the signing of the contract-lease on the municipal airport property, city employees must not be required to go to the leased airport site to perform work in line of duty." The motion was seconded by John F. Taylor and passed by a vote of six members. Mr. Yount voted no and Leo Eickhoff, the fourth ward alderman, who had been excused from the meeting a few minutes before, was not present.

This action temporarily hindered work on the field, because Mr. Yount had expected to have some of it done by city employees. However, he states he found cooperation from workers elsewhere and the work is progressing.

Retail Stores and Banks Will Close Friday Afternoon

Sedalia Retail stores and banks will close Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the Pettis County Fifth War Loan Drive. The banks will transact business only for the sale of bonds, after the special closing hour of 2 o'clock. The Sedalia Retail Merchants association voted to close for the bond drive at its last meeting. Grocery stores will not close.

All Set for Bond Quota in Seven Hours

United Effort on Part of All Will 'Get Job Done'

All arrangements are made for Pettis county to go over the top in the Fifth War Loan this afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. Induction centers, where bond buyers will report to back the attack by pledging to buy war bonds, have been set up in strategic locations throughout the county. Every school house outside Sedalia has been designated as a place for the sale of bonds. Nineteen induction centers will be opened in Sedalia, staffed with trained personnel, for the rapid signing of pledges.

The induction centers will be open until 9 o'clock in the evening. The Bond Headquarters, 308 South Ohio avenue, will receive an hour by hour report from each induction center to secure late information on the progress of the drive throughout the country. Ben Robinson, co-chairman of Sedalia division of the Pettis County War Finance committee, will have a large share of the direction of the drive from Bond Headquarters. Mrs. Chester Wright, women's chairman of the War Finance committee, will also aid in the placing of workers in each of the Sedalia induction centers. The phone numbers of the Headquarters are 67 and 91.

Subscribe the Limit

The war bond goal of \$895,000 for Pettis county will be attained in seven hours if each citizen subscribes the limit in the purchase of bonds. Calls will be made on every home in Pettis county, either by phone or in person, from 2 o'clock until the end of the drive. "Put Pettis county over the line, between the hours of two and nine."

Eleven Die As Bombers Collide

HONOLULU, June 9.—(P)—The death toll as the result of an aerial collision over the city today, first announced as 17, tentatively was placed at 11 after further investigation, with two other persons reported missing.

The two army medium bombers which collided normally carry crews of five men each. Police assumed that all 10 men had been killed.

Army authorities said later that only two men had been assigned to fly aboard each plane. Unless hitchhikers were aboard, they said, the two planes contained no more than four men.

Police Chief W. A. Gabrielson said seven civilians also were killed when exploding, flaming airplane wreckage struck several houses and destroyed four. Two persons also believed to have been in the houses are missing.

Berlin Report U. S. Vessels Sunk

LONDON, Friday, June 9.—(P)

The Berlin radio in a wholly unconfirmed report said tonight that an American cruiser had been sunk off the east coast of the Cherbourg peninsula by German motor torpedo boats.

The enemy report was entirely without substantiation in Allied quarters.

A similarly unconfirmed German report said a destroyer had been sunk.

Two Former Democrat-Capital Reporters Meet in New Guinea

Two former Sedalia Democrat-Capital reporters, now in the armed service, had a surprise meeting somewhere in New Guinea shortly after their arrival in the South Pacific theater of war and are still "keeping everything under control." They are Lieutenant Jack Reuter, a member of the Capital force, and Lieutenant Edward "Eddie" Lawson, formerly of the Democrat, but with the Associated Press at the time of entering the service.

A letter was received Thursday by D. Kelly Scruton, in which it stated in part, "This place has its bad joints, but we are able to take care of everything as it comes. Ed. Lawson and I are keeping everything under control. He just lives a couple of tents from me at present. We take in the shows together at nights and spend a

No Date Set For Holland Preliminary

Woman, Friend of Family, Believed Missing, is Located

Rumors that Edgar W. Holland, farmer and former Sedalia automobile dealer charged with the murder of his wife Mrs. Molly Mattie Holland, 36, might know something of the disappearance of another Missouri woman, were unfounded according to the state highway patrol. The believed-to-be missing woman has been located in Los Angeles, California, and is very much alive.

The woman, said to have been Mrs. Mae Sorbitz of St. Louis, was located in California by the patrol after rumors had reached them she had been missing since last winter and had not been heard from since last January. Mrs. Sorbitz, a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Holland had visited the Holland farm, seven miles northwest of La Monte several times.

It was said she had accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Holland to the state of California last winter and decided to remain in that part of the country for a more extended visit. **Soldier Writes of Case**

A letter from Sergeant Raymond Hoover, formerly of the neighborhood in which the bodies were found, states that he assisted Holland in launching a boat at a dead end road last October, near the resort of Eddie Wilson. It was at this same spot that the body of Mrs. Fairfax was found on Sunday, April 16, while short distance away in the water the body of Mrs. Holland was found on Monday, April 17.

Wilson said he had received a note from the sergeant in which the soldier stated that last October he had aided Holland in the launching of a boat at the exact spot where the bodies were found. Holland denied ever launching a boat in the lake at the dead end road, although he did say he put a boat into the water at Eddie's place.

No Preliminary Date

Today Prosecuting Attorney L. J. Harned said no date had been set as yet for the preliminary hearing for Holland, nor had the now pending charges in the court of Judge C. W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, been dismissed. The charges will probably be dismissed within a few days as soon as Holland's lawyer, Fred F. Wesner, local attorney and Harned get together to discuss the setting of the hearing date.

Last Saturday Harned said the charges would be dismissed in another court with jurisdiction over the case, probably in the court of A. M. Harlan.

In the meantime Holland is being held in the Pettis county jail without bail.

The two headless bodies, found in the lake Ozarks last mid-April, have been identified as those of Mrs. Holland, wife of Edgar and Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, mother of Mrs. Holland. Identification was made through the efforts of the highway patrol with the assistance of friends, relatives, and doctors. Finger-prints played a big part in the identification of Mrs. Holland, comparisons of the dead woman's prints being made with those found on articles at the Holland home.

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When Salisbury and his men and machines move to France, you may expect to hear more and more and more of the young Missourian. After being graduated from Sedalia high school, Salisbury received a law degree from the University of Arkansas. He enlisted in the air corps on the day of his graduation.

Before he left the states, Salisbury made several cross-country flights to Sedalia to visit his mother, Mrs. Fay Salisbury.

Taney County Is First On War Loan

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)

For the fifth time, Taney County, in the Missouri Ozarks, was the first county in the nation to report to the treasury it had met its war loan quota.

Heavy Rains

"The only news over here is when it stops raining. The rainfall's measured by feet. We manage to keep up with the news but it gets here a couple of days late. They have a newspaper here distributed free to the armed forces that is pretty good.

"I haven't had any mail from the states since March 15, so I am behind on the news."

Reuter was a reporter on the service, leaving Sedalia with the old 128th Field Artillery, Missouri National Guards in December of 1940. He and Lawson were good friends when in Sedalia.

Missouri Encountered No Enemy Aircraft

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Capt. Delmer Everly, 128 East Robard Ave., Brookfield, Mo., pilot of the Fortress "Little Butch" said he saw no enemy aircraft in this morning's raids over the invasion coast, and "only a handful" of flak.

Bond Drive 'Colonels,' Locations

Fire Engine House Number 2—Harry Lindstrom.

Missouri Pacific Shops—Fred Brink, Mrs. Ruth Riley.

Third National Bank — C. L. Hanley.

Union Savings Bank—Felix Sulivan.

County Court House — John Ryan.

Pacific Cafe — Chet Wright, Henry Kroenke.

Fox Theater—Aaron Gardner, M-K-T Shops—Guy Peabody, Harry Brunkhorst.

Sedalia Bank and Trust company—C. L. Carter.

Postoffice Building — Ed Mulaley.

Elks Club—Hugo Sparn, A. A. Studebaker.

Front of Penney's store—P. Hedrich.

Horace Mann school — Ernest Baker, J. E. Morrow.

Washington school—Al Pringle, Miss Bessie Perkins.

Whittier school—Oscar Leslie, Miss Katharine Gorman.

Mark Twain school—Rev. H. U. Campbell, Tom Walsh.

Broadway school—Tom Cloney, Rev. A. J. Brunswick.

Jefferson school—R. C. Parkhurst, Elmer Summers.

Hubbard high school—Prof. C. C. Hubbard, Pinkney Miller.

By HAL BOYLE

LONDON, Friday, June 9.—(P)

Two of the toughest, hardest-fighting divisions in the American and English armies—the famous American First infantry division and Britain's renowned Fifteenth Northumbrian division—are cracking the Germans again side by side, this time on the fields and beaches of French Normandy.

As the weather improved steadily, daylight operations were the greatest today in all the three days of invasion warfare, and at noon the 27,000-sorties mark was passed by British-based aircraft.

During this period, approximately 54 hours, Allied losses were 289 planes of all types—barely more than 1 per cent.

German planes destroyed in the period totaled 176 planes out of the meager forces which were dwarfed by the massive Allied bomber and fighter fleets thundering constantly through European skies.

American Fortresses and Liberators, nearly 1,000 strong and escorted by up to 500 fighters, smashed at transport bottlenecks and airfields 100 to 150 miles behind the Normandy beachheads. Enemy opposition in the air continued on a limited scale. However, fliers reported ground fire was extremely heavy.

Third Time Together

It is the third time these wise-cracking Americans and their sly-talking buddies from England's north lake country have muddled Nazi battle plans together.

First it was in the deserts of North Africa, then the mountains of Sicily. Now they're battling shoulder to shoulder again on France's coastal plain.

(The German controlled Calais peninsula, in a broadcast recorded by the Ministry of Information, said tonight the German high command named these Allied formations as participating in the Normandy fighting: Vire estuary and east coast—U. S. First, Fourth and Twenty-Ninth infantry divisions and the 506th parachute regiment; Canada—British Sixth airborne division; Arromanches—units of the Third British and Third Canadian infantry.)

The sturdy Northumbrians have gone a long way since they left their windy pastures to battle England's foe. They fought in France and Flanders and their rocky stand at Arras and along the Ypres-Comines canal gave other British and French troops precious time for the epic Dunkirk withdrawal. They back-stopped withdrawal of the South Africans to Tobruk during Rome's last great plunge in Libya and then saved themselves by a spectacular frontal break through the German lines and a wide sweep back to rejoin the Eighth army on Egypt's borders. Then they helped pursue the Nazis across Africa, Sicily and into Italy.

RAF Spitfires of the second tactical air force, covering land forces, met 18 Nazi fighters attempting to bomb the Allied-held beaches, knocked down two and forced the rest to jettison their bombs.

The American heavies hit rail installations over a wide area at Rennes, Laval, Tours, Le Mans, Nantes and Angers, meeting some opposition in the air and shooting down seven of one enemy formation of 12 planes. Simultaneously, the Marauders and Havocs sought out their targets at Valognes, Vire, Lessay, Pontaubault, Rennes and Laval, all on the Cherbourg peninsula or on rail lines leading to it. Ninth fighters hit enemy vehicles and Typhoons lashed enemy traffic with rockets and stabbed nine miles below Caen to fire on enemy Tiger Tanks.

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President Signs Bill For Payment For \$500 to Sedalian

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—President Roosevelt has signed a bill authorizing payment of \$500 to Miss Bernadine Salmons of Sedalia, Mo., for injuries she suffered when the auto in which she was riding was struck by an army air corps tractor near Tipton, Mo., Aug. 10, 1941.

Smash Vital Rail Junctions Behind Lines

Opposition In Air By Germans Is Limited

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Friday, June 9.—(P)—Allied air forces, surpassing the total of 27,000 sorties since the invasion of western Europe began, smashed at vital rail junctions well behind the battle zone and at scores of other objectives throughout the battle zone.

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Holland Will Have Hearing Before Harlan

No Jurisdiction In Bente's Court; Date Not Yet Set

Charges of first degree murder against Edgar W. Holland, who is accused in a state information, with the death of his wife, whose headless body was found last mid-April in the Lake of the Ozarks, are to be dismissed in the court of Judge C. W. Bente, and will be refiled in the court of Justice of the Peace A. M. Harlan, L. J. Harned, prosecuting attorney, announced Saturday.

Mr. Harned said that he had discussed the case with Fred F. Wesner, attorney for Holland, and that they are to talk the case over within the next few days, at which time an agreement will be reached as to the date for the preliminary hearing.

"The reason the case was first filed in the court of Judge Bente was, Judge Harlan could not be located the day Holland was arrested. Neither could Judge W. A. Collins be contacted immediately, it was said. It was necessary to file the charges in Bente's court to hold Holland," Harned explained.

State highway patrol members are continuing with their "routine investigation," with little to say, if there are or aren't any new developments, into the mysterious disappearance of Mrs. Molly Mattie Grossie Holland, 36, wife of Edgar W. Holland, and her mother Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, reported missing since April 15.

The bodies of the two headless women found in the Lake of the Ozarks, have been identified as those of Mrs. Holland and Mrs. Fairfax. However, Holland, through his attorney disclaim that positive identification of the bodies has been made.

No Jurisdiction

A Democrat-Capital reporter Saturday afternoon called upon Wesner, to ascertain when he would desire a preliminary hearing. Mr. Wesner said the defense is ready for a hearing at anytime the case is filed before a court with competent jurisdiction.

Mr. Wesner stated, "I called Mr. Harned's attention to the fact, this morning (Saturday), that he has filed the case against Holland before a court which does not have legal jurisdiction and cannot accord my client a legal preliminary hearing."

"This is true because of the fact, that under the law, Judge Bente, in whose court the case is now pending, only has jurisdiction of offenses alleged to have been committed within the corporate limits of the city of Sedalia.

"I suggested that we would like to have the case filed in a court of competent jurisdiction so that we can have a legal hearing. He indicated this would be done.

Will Ask For Date

"When the case is re-filed it is our intention to then ask the court before whom the case is re-brought to set a date for the preliminary hearing," Wesner concluded.

Asked if Holland had anything to say at this time, Wesner replied "I don't think so." Holland who is being held in the county jail without bond, maintains he is innocent of the charge for which he is being held, and has nothing more to say than has already been said.

Close Vacation Bible School

The closing program of the Daily Vacation Bible school of the First Christian church will be given at eight o'clock tonight at the church.

The program follows:

Processional, by the school; flag bearers. Harvey Herrick and Ralph Davis; theme song, "In My Heart There Rings a Melody"; Lord's Prayer and response; school; scripture reading, Matt. 18-19; prayer poem, Tennyson, Pat Van Hoosen; song, "Jesus Loves Me" and "Father, We Thank Thee," kindergarten department.

Solo, "The Sweet Story of Old,"

Barbara Brown piano solo, "Smiling Eyes," Joyce Burke; Bible alphabet; song, "Can a Little Child Like Me," primary department;

violin quartet, Beverly Miller, Marvalee Harbit, Dixie June Thomas and Jean Swegles; dramatization, "Ruth, the Faithful Daughter."

Ruth, Mary Ann Young; Naomi, Delores Pummill; Oprah, Wanda Jean White; Boaz, Jimmie Watts; Kinsman, Myron Herrick; Servant, Niles Sims; Citizens and Gleaners, intermediate and junior girls and boys; Drill, Books of the Bible, junior department; "Church in the Wildwood," story Wanda Jean White, song, junior department; talk, the Rev. Clyde S. Sherman.

Offering; song, "God Will Take of You," intermediate choir; Marvalee Harbit, Jimmie Watts, Dixie June Thomas, Niles Sims, Pat Van Hoosen, Myron Herrick, Jean Swegles, Jimmie Evans and Barbara Joy; presentation of awards, Mrs. Herbert Seifert; benediction, the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer.

Mrs. C. S. Sherman will be the accompanist, with Mrs. F. B. Piper directing the music.

Lookout Club Elects Officers

The recently organized 4-H club of Lookout held a meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Garry Arnett, at which officers were elected as follows:

President, Bobby Curtiss; vice-president, Jimmie Hoke; secretary and treasurer, Katherine Hoke; game and song leader, Edith Lee Curtiss; reporter, Garry Arnett; and parliamentarian, Carol Ann Woods.

The subject of roll call was "The Vegetable I Like Best."

Mrs. Mary Roberts, club leader, gave a discussion of 4-H club work and project and recreation plans for the year.

Songs were sung and games played by the group, after which refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held June 2 at the home of Garry Arnett while the Lookout Extension club holds a "community dry cleaning."

In The Service

MUROC ARMY AIR FIELD, Muroc, Calif., June 2—Cpl. Robert M. Blackburn, stationed at the Muroc Army Air Field, Fourth Air Force, recently completed the qualification course with the Cal. .30 carbine, in which he received the rating of expert. Cpl. Blackburn, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Blackburn, 1329 Holly Avenue, Arcadia, Calif., formerly of Sedalia, Mo.

POPE FIELD, N. C., June 3—Marion C. Dudley, with the Waco Detachment stationed at this installation of the First Troop Cavalier Command, has been promoted to sergeant.

Sgt. Dudley is the daughter of Mr. W. M. Kabler of 1006 East Sixth street, Sedalia, Mo. She was employed as a secretary before entering the army in April, 1943.

AN AIR SERVICE COMMAND STATION, "Somewhere in England"—Cpl. William Richardson, husband of Mrs. William Richardson, of Beaman, Mo., is now overseas, helping to "keep 'em flying" with the Aircraft Section of a large Air Service Command depot "somewhere in England."

Cpl. Richardson and the men of this section help to keep our combat planes the best in the aerial battle being fought in the skies over Germany by adding the most up-to-date improvements to ships after the new inventions are perfected.

Cpl. Richardson is one of the men recently commanded by Lieutenant General Carl Spaatz, Commanding General of the United States Strategic Air Forces in Europe, when production at the depot was increased by over 100 per cent.

Before entering the army, he was employed by the Missouri Pacific shops in Sedalia as a machinist apprentice.

Cpl. Herbert F. Strelow, husband of Mrs. Nadine M. Strelow, of 623 East Eighteenth street, Sedalia, Mo., is now overseas, helping to "keep 'em flying" with the Aircraft Section of a large Air Service Command depot "somewhere in England."

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Before entering the army, he was employed by the North American Modification center in Kansas City, Kas., as a modification, assembly and insulation.

Mrs. Carl Arnett, 1600 South Lamine avenue, has received word that her husband, Staff Sgt. Carl W. Arnett of the air corps has received the name Robert Eugene. He weighed seven and three-fourth pounds. The mother is the former Miss Gladys Lee Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wheeler, route 4, Sedalia. The father is employed at the SAAF in the supply department. They have a daughter, Lydia Marie, aged eight years.

He became a member of the armed forces at Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., on March 30, 1943. Prior to that, he was employed by the Federal Mogul Auto Parts Service in Kansas City.

T. Sgt. Welton Teter, grandson of Mrs. George Green, Smithton, has notified relatives here that he has arrived safely in England. Welton is in the Army Air Corps.

Sgt. Richard Witcig, of the medical corps in the army, has been transferred from Camp Carson, Colo., to Fort Benning, Ga. His sister, Mrs. Charles Cooper, 510 East Thirteenth street, has learned.

Word has been received from W. L. Mason, Jr., formerly of Smithton telling of his safe arrival in England. He is a grandson of the late Fred Green, formerly of Smithton.

GULFPORT ARMY AIR FIELD, GULFPORT, Miss.—Corporal Robert H. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar J. Smith, 1210 South Ohio street, Sedalia, Mo., has reported at this Third Air Force bomber base for an intensive training course as an engineer-

End Today Of The Camporee

Boy Scouts Will Have Members Of Families Guests

The three-day Boy Scout Camporee for the Sedalia district, being held at Camp Colin P. Kelly, Jr., on the State Fair Grounds, will close this afternoon at a program to which the public is invited.

This morning the 175 encamped boys will come into Sedalia for church services. Upon their return, the troops will have their families as guests at a picnic at one o'clock, after which the awards and badges of achievement will be presented in the afternoon closing program.

At the campfire program Saturday night, with a good attendance equal to Friday night's 300, eleven patrols demonstrated various phases of first aid, including the treatment of fractures.

At the close of the flag ceremony, Harry Lambirth, chief of the Camporee, asked the Scouts to stand in a moment's silent prayer for those members of the troops who are now in the armed forces. Taps was played in conclusion.

Scouting Activities

During the last two days the campers have worked in the various Scouting activities, being judged in their efficiency at rope-making, rope-tying, woodwork, signaling, and in sporting fetes. Albert Steiner, athletic coach, was chief of the judges. This afternoon's awards will be based on the contests of the encampment. The campers also will be judged on their cleanliness and orderliness in cooking and caring for their tents.

The Camporee, smaller than it might have been in pre-war years, is considered very successful, with ten local troops represented. Charles Maggard is program chairman and publicity chairman is Frank Hanigan.

Historical Case In County Museum

A cane which was carried first by Rev. Solomon Sharp, who was one of the first Methodist preachers in the United States, was loaned by Roye B. Hinkle, Little Rock, Ark., former Sedalian, to Rev. J. Fred King, for exhibit by the Pettis County Historical Society at the court house.

Rev. Solomon Sharp, who was Mr. Hinkle's great grandfather, was born in 1767 and died in 1835. He was pastor of St. George's church in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1803 and 1804.

Anniversary Dinner Tuesday

The United Service Organization Council of Sedalia is sponsoring a Service Recognition banquet, in honor of all who have served through this USO, at the First Christian church, Tuesday night, at 6:30 o'clock. It is also the occasion of the one hundred and first anniversary of the Y. M. C. A., which organization is operating agency for the local USO.

Chaplain William H. Lewis, Sedalia Army Air Field base chaplain, will be the principal speaker, and in addition there will be special music and a program.

Son Of Mr. And Mrs. Mewes Named Robert Eugene

The son born to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mewes, route 3, Sedalia, at Bothwell hospital on May 31, has been given the name Robert Eugene.

He weighed seven and three-fourth pounds. The mother is the former Miss Gladys Lee Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wheeler, route 4, Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Orel Schnakenberg and Miss Opal Tucker attended the graduation of Francis Gerken in Concordia last Friday. Francis is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebber and other relatives. Mr. Luebber is on his vacation.

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He leaves one brother, Dr. B. E. Broaddus, 916 West Fifth street, and two sisters, Mrs. C. E. Wisecup, Yorkers, N. Y., and Mrs. D. R. Bruce, St. Louis, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Monday at McLaughlin's chapel, with the Rev. Herman M. Janssen, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church, officiating. Mrs. G. V. Sneed will have charge of the music.

Friends who will serve as pallbearers are G. B. Cook, Emil Hager, George Putman, Bryan Howe, W. H. Glasgow and E. S. Shortridge.

The body will remain at McLaughlin's funeral home until the hour of services.

Mr. Broaddus was married March 18, 1896, to Miss Ella L. Stinger, who preceded him in death August 21, 1943.

Mrs. Nancy Virginia Ashbrook

Mrs. Nancy Virginia Ashbrook, aged 94 years, died late Friday afternoon at her home at 701 North Grand avenue, after several months illness.

For 55 years she had lived in Pettis county, and she had resided in Sedalia for 24 years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brauer.

Surviving are four daughters,

Mrs. Lula McBroom and Mrs. Josephine Buckley, of Kansas City; Mrs. Margaret Schmidt, of Sedalia; and Mrs. Amanda Bennett, of St. Louis.

The body is at McLaughlin's chapel.

First Lieut. Walter Tubesing, former Ionia boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tubesing of Cole Camp, has been missing in action since May 11 according to a message received from the War Department by his wife.

Lieut. Tubesing was flying a plane from South America to Africa and on May 27 Mrs. Tubesing received a message telling her that the search had been abandoned.

Memorial services will be conducted in St. Louis on June 11, where Mrs. Tubesing now resides.

Lieut. Tubesing was born on a farm southwest of Ionia and grew to manhood in that community. He was married to Miss Lorena Brockman.

Bond On Left Hand Turn

T. W. Peters, route 4, Sedalia, posted \$1 cash bond at police headquarters Friday after his arrest for making a left hand turn in his car at Third street and Ohio avenue.

Proceeds raised at the tea will be used for the benefit of the X-Ray machine at hospital No. 2.

Mrs. J. T. Ferrell is president of the club and Mrs. A. A. Coleman, secretary.

Bible School Opens Monday at Dresden

The Union Vacation Bible school of the Dresden Baptist and Methodist churches will begin Monday, June 5, at 2:15 p.m. at the Methodist church.

All children in the community are invited to attend. Classes for children of beginner, primary, junior and intermediate ages will be held.

The Rev. L. C. Robinson, pastor of the Baptist church will be in charge, with workers of both churches assisting.

COMMUNITY NEWS from Cole Camp

By Mrs. Henry T. Junge

Mrs. S. B. Young, near Warsaw, visited over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kullman and with other friends.

"Corky" Duncan, who is employed in Kansas City, spent the week-end with his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Emma Tubesing and daughter, Mildred.

Mrs. Claus Stevens received word recently that her son-in-law, Ora Jacobs, of Canton, Ill., had died.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Meier and son, Donald Merlin, of Kansas City, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Meier and with Mrs. Lena Dump in the home of Mrs. Laura Kreisel.

Mrs. Joe Calfee and daughter are visiting this week near Warsaw in the home of Mrs. S. B. Young.

Miss Emilyann Taylor, who has been attending college in Springfield, Mo., is spending her vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Taylor.

A large crowd attended Memorial services at Union Church Sunday morning and afternoon.

Miss Viola Carrico, of Kansas City, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Carrico.

The Rev. Stephen Gardner was the speaker at Union Church services Sunday.

Ed. Luebber, of Lexington, Mo., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebber, two days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cregier, of Kansas City, are the parents of a son born Thursday, May 25. He has been given the name Barry Douglas. Mrs. Gregor was before her marriage, Miss Sylvia Lee Schwensen, of Cole Camp. The baby weighed six pounds 13 ounces.

The little daughter of Pvt. and Mrs. Karl Tuck was christened in Trinity Lutheran church Sunday morning by the Rev. H. J. Gerike and was given the name Karla Ranea. The father is stationed in New Caledonia. The mother and daughter are making their home at present with Mrs. Tuck's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Muller and Robert Muller.

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Ordinance On Lease Passed By Council

Contract With Jack Funk For Airport Use

An ordinance, providing for a contract to lease about 173 acres of the Sedalia airport, west of the city, to Jack Funk, for a period of three years, was passed by the city council meeting in regular session Monday night. Funk is to use the field for the operation of a flying school. He is to pay the city the sum of \$1 per year, maintain a guard there twenty-four hours a day, provide oil and gas service for any planes that might land, and has posted \$3,000 bond for the payment of \$100 per month should be fail to live up to the requirements in the agreement. The contract is flexible in that if at any time the city has an opportunity for increased development of the field for use by the army, navy, or by the large airline companies, Mr. Funk can be removed from the field within thirty days, or at even a shorter time if necessary.

Alderman H. Young, Frank Middleton, Frank Royce, Herbert Seifert and Leo Eickhoff voted for the proposition, Richard Keenan and John F. Taylor voted no, and A. L. Pringle did not vote.

There was a large crowd at the meeting, both men and women, most of them interested in the action on the airport.

After the vote had been taken there was considerable discussion from the floor. It began when Charles M. Van Dyne, who was president of the Chamber of Commerce when the airport was started, thanked the mayor and council, telling them he thought the city was taking a step forward and that a big thing had been done for Sedalia. E. M. Stafford, Jr., who as a member of the Chamber of Commerce, was on the airport committee, reiterated Mr. Van Dyne's statements, giving it as his opinion the council had taken a step in the right direction, for the people as a whole had voted 11 to 1 they wanted an airport.

Keenan Speaks

Keenan then took the floor, telling of his objections to the lease, terming the flying school a private industry, objecting to the caucuses in which he said the matter had been discussed and to which the "Pharisees and Scribes" had been invited, but not the multitudes. He said the reference to \$1,000 in money in the airport fund to be used towards development of the field was incorrect, that there was about \$1,300, and with reference to civilians using the field, he didn't know what business civilians had using gasoline for airplanes when people who really needed gasoline for cars couldn't get it.

Mayor Wilks replied to his caucus reference by stating that it is often necessary to discuss affairs before they are taken up in council meetings, because sometimes they have no reference to city affairs at all and would just waste time if brought up.

Leo Eickhoff, councilman, said they were certainly not trying to hide anything with reference to the amount of money. There was a little over \$1,000 in the fund, but that only \$1,000 of it was to be used in the development of the project. To that amount the Chamber of Commerce is adding \$2,000, which will be paid back when the crops on the field are harvested.

Inited to Meeting

E. M. Stafford, Jr., arose to say that if he was one of those referred to who had "bulged into the caucus" he was a member of the airport committee, had been invited to the meeting, was asked to come in and sit down, which he did. He assured Mr. Keenan he was not in the habit of going where he was not invited, nor where he thought he was not welcome.

Mr. Van Dyne explained that there had been nothing kept from the public, that the men interested in the airport had only been trying to do something for Sedalia, because after the war a city must have an airport to progress. "Flying schools such as Mr. Funk has," he said, "are located in many cities and it is a step toward further development."

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Inquiries From Spectators

J. O. Hawley referred to Kee-

nan as the representative of Kees-

an Pacific shop em-

ployees. He said he (Hawley) has a boy on a base close to Japan, but asked as a citizen what aviation would mean to him.

Van Dyne replied to him by stating he should want the field for his son, who would probably fly his own plane after the war.

"I don't think he'll ever want to look at a plane," was Hawley's reply.

One onlooker asked why the army had not developed the field as he had been led to believe would be done. It was explained to him that never at any time had it been stated there was any promise from the army. The request for an auxiliary field came from the army, and it had been assured everything possible would be done to have it developed, but by the time the bond election had been held upon a retrenchment program and was closing air fields instead of opening new ones.

Council Fixes Tax Levy And The Budget

Levy 65 Cents On \$100 Valuation-Budget \$192,790

The City Council, meeting in regular session Monday night, approved a tax levy of 65 cents on the \$100 valuation, which is five cents more than the 1943 levy. Part of the increase is to pay for the municipal airport bonds and interest, part for the increase in salaries of the appointive city employees. The amounts are divided as follows:

For general expenses of the city	45 cents
Bothwell Hospital bonds.....	04
Int'l. on Bothwell hospital bond01
Judgment funding bonds.....	02
Interest on Judge funding bonds.....	.00
Armory and Drill Hall bond	0004
Interest on Armory and etc.....	.0004
Colored hospital bonds.....	.0003
(Sufficient funds in Int. Acct.)	
Municipal Airport bonds0004
Interest on Airport bonds0004
Free public library07
Total65 cents

Submitted by the finance committee, A. L. Pringle chairman.

In addition there is a \$2,000 poll tax, a cost to be paid by male citizens between the ages of 21 and 50 years.

The levy was passed with the vote of seven members of the Council, Richard Keenan, of the second ward, stating he was for the levy with the exception of that part that had to do with improvements on the airport.

Budget \$192,792.00

A budget for the control of the financial affairs of the city was submitted, and approved by the council, for the fiscal year of 1944-1945. It is anticipated the revenue will be sufficient to offset the budget expenses of \$192,792.00, which is allocated to each department. This is \$19,000 more than was allowed in the budget last year. It is allocated as follows:

Department	Year
Fire Department	\$25,908
Police Department	27,672
Streets & Alleys	22,168
Sanitary Department	8,148
Contingent Acc't.	16,380
Charity Acc't.	7,740
Salary Acc't.	9,108
Public buildings	3,768
Bonds & Interest	19,620
Lights & Water	29,460
Public Library	12,000
Public Parks	4,800
Crown Hill Cemetery	6,000
Totals	\$192,792

Buy Police Uniforms

On motion of Herbert Seifert it was voted to buy thirteen uniforms, blouse, two pairs of pants and a cap, one uniform for each policeman, at a cost of \$48.20, bid by the St. Louis Clothing Co., which had the lowest bid. In addition each police officer will purchase their own shirts, gun and Sam Brown belts. That part of the uniform bought by the city will belong to the city, and will not be taken by the officer should he leave the force.

R. J. Walker, police officer, asked for a leave of absence for one month, stating he wanted to make some repairs on his house. The matter was referred to the police committee.

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Bothwell Hospital Notes

Louise Brown, Green Ridge, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Mrs. Mollie McDonald, 1500 East Broadway and Mrs. Claude, admitted for medical treatment.

City Light & Traction Co. Will be Sold

Missouri Public Service Corporation Contracts to Buy

Missouri Public Service Corporation has contracted with Cities Service Power & Light Company, of New York, to purchase City Light & Traction Company, it was announced locally Tuesday by Mr. H. C. Feuers, president of the latter company.

The deal, which is subject to approval of the Securities and Exchange Commission, Philadelphia, and the Missouri Public Service Commission, Jefferson City, involves aggregate financing on the part of the purchaser in the amount of approximately \$2,250,000.

City Light & Traction Company, a Cities Service Power & Light property, was organized in 1912 and has been a Cities Service subsidiary since that time. The sale of the Sedalia property by Cities Service Company is in line with a program to divest itself of all public utility ownership and operation in compliance with the Holding Company Act passed by Congress in 1935 and now being administered by the Securities and Exchange Commission. When Cities Service Company has completely disposed of its public utility properties it will have satisfied the provisions of the Act and then no longer be subject to that legislation. In the future Cities Service Company will confine its activities to that of a completely integrated international Oil Company and will also continue to produce and transmit natural gas for sale at wholesale to various communities. The company will also retain its real estate holdings, which are extensive, largely in the East.

Will Refinance Property

It is the plan of the prospective new owners of City Light & Traction Company to refinance the property. Liquidate the corporate life of the Company as such, maintain and operate the complete electric, gas, ice and refrigeration service as at present.

Miss Jean Sutherland was hostess to the H. B. M. club. A pot luck supper was served. Extra guests present were Mrs. R. L. Irvine, Mrs. Carter Oakes, and Janet Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Webb were called to Garden City last week by the death of Mrs. Webb's aunt, Mrs. F. J. Suffelcool.

Mrs. Paul Bradley and Mrs. Kenneth Marti gave a bridge party in honor of Mrs. James Deakins. Bridge was played at three tables. A dessert course was served prior to the games. Mrs. Wesley Allen received high scoring award, Mrs. Henry Hendricks the honor gift.

Mrs. Henry Hendrickson entertained her club recently. Extra guests present were Mesdames Frank Silver, Jimmie Silver, John Patterson, Eldon Sutherland Jr., Bob Moss, Fred Winzenried, Fred McAllister and Misses Grace Wharton and Jean Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams of Hannibal and Miss Anne Eperson went to Garden City to attend the funeral of Mrs. William's aunt, Mrs. Suffelcool.

No Change Here

The Sedalia division will continue to serve the Missouri Utilities Company as it has in the past, and also the Central Missouri Co-Operative which serves rural territory in Pettis County. Missouri Utilities Company is a wholesale customer of the Sedalia Company, owned by other interests and serving sixteen towns and communities to the east of Sedalia, the principal towns being Smithton, Otterville, Tipton, Vicksburg, Eldon, Bunceton, Pilot Grove, Stover, and others.

It is further contemplated that some property now owned and operated by Missouri Public Service will be transferred to the jurisdiction of the Sedalia division, notably the property south of Sedalia along and adjacent to Highway No. 65, including Washington, Lincoln, Cole Camp, and intermediate points.

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Induction Skit—Billy Meuschke and Gordon Capes

The anniversary dance given by the USO Saturday night at Convention hall, Liberty park, was attended by about two hundred.

Music was furnished by the USO orchestra and clever favors of pink and blue were the work of Miss Dorothy Church.

Refreshments were served by women of the Calvary Episcopal church. The table was centered with a bowl of red roses on either side of which were tall white taperers and at each end a large birthday cake in honor of all those whose birthday is during the anniversary period. The cakes were made by Miss Evelyn Beach and Miss Alice Gudorph.

The committee was composed of Miss Alma Kurtz, chairman, Miss Mildred Brackman, Miss Alice Gudorph and Miss Dorothy Church.

The long distance telephone call home given to a soldier during the evening, went to Staff Sgt. J. P. Step, who called his home in Sweetwater, Tenn.

SAAF Gliders Lose Ball Game

SELDALIA ARMY AIR FIELD, June 5—After winning their first three games of the season, the Sedalia Army Air Field Gliders lost their fourth by a score of 9 to 4 to the Missouri Valley college team.

The game was played at Clinton coal mines and the present high voltage line serving Sedalia from the south. This, it is stated, will assure the Sedalia and Warrensburg divisions mutual additional service capacity and protection.

Other than a change in name of the Sedalia division, it is not the intent of the new ownership to make any shift of Sedalia division management or organization, or to modify service policies which have been developed by the present owners. The local organization and payroll will necessarily be somewhat increased, together with managerial responsibilities, in the transfer of certain property operations, as previously pointed out, from the Warrensburg to Sedalia division.

Missouri Directors

Missouri Public Service is under the direction of officers and directors of Missouri residence. Mr. Ralph Green, of Warrensburg, is president and a director of the Company. The other members of the Board of Directors are A. G. Smith, Nevada, Charles Czeschin, Warrensburg, Dr. Harry L. Parker, Warrensburg, and H. S. Payne Rowe, of Springfield, Massachusetts. Mr. Green has recently acquired control by purchase of Missouri Gas & Electric Service Company, with headquarters at Lexington, Missouri, which furnishes electric services to forty cities and towns and gas service to five cities and towns the principal cities served being Lexington, Marshall, Richmond, Liberty, Weston, and Platte City.

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German Reserves Fail To Halt The Allied Advance

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Iled forces have not been driven back from any position, headquarters made known. One Allied division has taken more than 1,000 prisoners. Ten German divisions have been identified in the fighting.

Caen was described as heavily defended and "a tough nut."

Since dawn Tuesday, 176 enemy aircraft were listed as destroyed in air combat, while the Allies have lost 289 in the same period, including unarmed transports and transports.

Locations attacked by the planes indicated expansion of the Allied hold on Normandy.

In Washington Secretary of War Stimson said the beaches were in a 100-mile strip between the Cherbourg peninsula and the Seine river mouth and that the Allies were beating back repeated counterattacks which were expected to become intensified.

The supreme Allied commander, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, back from a beachhead tour, expressed full confidence in the Allies' ability to continue with the second phase of the campaign on schedule. His confidence was clearly reflected by all concerned at headquarters.

Warning On Coastal Waters

Presaging possible new Allied attacks elsewhere in Europe, the BBC, the American Broadcasting Station in Europe and North African stations warned the people of Norway, Denmark, Holland, Belgium and France not to fish in coastal waters from 9 p.m., Thursday night until 9 p.m. a week later, lest they "hinder the operations of the Allied forces."

The Germans about the same time broadcast that reconnaissance had shown "great concentrations of shipping in English ports farther north, including the Bristol channel, the Irish sea and Scotland."

The German radio acknowledged that Bayeux had fallen, as announced by the Allies early Thursday; that fighting now was raging five miles south and southwest of Bayeux; that two additional Allied airborne divisions had landed Thursday by daylight north of Bayeux; that fighting was heavy east of Bayeux, where 10 Allied divisions were reported massed; and that the entire battle of France was "growing in depth."

The Germans also acknowledged that at present their forces were on the defensive, and that fighting was going on inside the town of Caen, nine miles inland.

The Nazi-controlled Paris radio estimated present Allied strength in Normandy at 20 divisions, compared with 12 reported by the German radio a few hours earlier.

The Germans claimed the channel islands of Jersey and Guernsey had been cleared of Allied invaders. The Allies never have mentioned any landings there.

Adolf Hitler's own newspaper, the Volkischer Beobachter, told the German people that success for the Allied invasion would "simply mean the end." German German papers for the first time in the war published an Allied communiqué, the communiqué No. 1 from supreme headquarters of the Allied expeditionary force, announcing the invasion.

Landings Continue

Allied landings on the beaches continued constantly across a moderating sea while troops already inland beat back repeated German counter attacks and captured numbers of Nazi "beetle" tanks and self-propelled "Hornet" guns.

Against the Nazi piece-meal attacks which were the fore-runners of expected major counter-moves, the American, British and Canadian troops were reported holding or pushing back the enemy everywhere.

American heavy bombers Thursday morning blasted rail facilities and airfields at Rennes, Le Mans, Laval, Tours, Angers and Nantes, ranging down south and southwest of the beachheads as far as 180 miles. The aim apparently was to prevent the German tactical reinforcements from coming up quickly.

American Marauders and Havocs in closer support of the American, British and Canadian ground troops, hit rail junctions at Valognes, Periers, Lessay and Pont Aebault on the Cherbourg peninsula or on lines leading directly to it. They too hit Rennes and Laval.

Rocket-firing Typhoons attacked German Tiger tanks near Bretteville, nine miles south of Caen. Thunderbolts bombed Trevieres, nine miles west of Bayeux and four and one-half miles inland.

Caen itself was attacked at dawn by Marauders and Havocs which left at least 20 large fires blazing.

Other targets included La Haye du Puits and St. Lo. The latter is an important junction of four highways 16 miles inland on the River riger.

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Calmer At Channel As Troops Land

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Breeze off the bridgeheads. **Nearly Caused Disaster**

Associated Press Correspondent John A. Morosco, who covered the Allied landings on North Africa and Sicily, reported from an invasion port today that "wind and a choppy channel almost caused disaster" in the invasion.

Vernon E. Brown, London News Chronicle correspondent writing for the combined American and British press, said he was told by Allied authorities that the invasion was undertaken despite the bad weather because further postponement, beyond the first 24-hour delay, would have been impossible.

The date was chosen, Brown wrote, because of a combination of tides, wind and sea, "and there were only three days in which all of these seemed likely to be combined favorably enough for the operation."

On D-day itself, after the postponement, the weather was still far from good," an Allied officer told Brown, "and we had to consider the possibility of a further postponement."

Decided To Proceed

"It was actually possible," he continued, "to put it off for a maximum of another 24 hours, but our weather forecast said that although the weather was bad at the time it would improve later. It was decided to go ahead."

For some of the Allied troops, many of whom had never seen salt water until they crossed the Atlantic, the channel trip was a more trying ordeal than facing the Germans.

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Think Americans Soft

The average German thinks Americans are "soft" because they feed ice cream cones and good food to Nazi prisoners of war.

German prisoners released from the United States frequently told me that Americans regard Germans as "supermen" and treat them as guests.

"You," a German prison camp official told me, "are a prisoner of war. You are subject to the most rigid German military control. This isn't Hollywood—you eat what we give you or go without anything. Germany produces soldiers. Here everyone works. In America, everyone plays and hopes the war will go on for a long time so everyone will make more money."

"To us, this war is life or death."

"To you Americans, it is just another episode in a Hollywood film. And, of course, as long as your prison camp officials treat Germans like guests, they accept it, but secretly they think you Americans are soft and foolish."

In Innsbruck a German captain dragged me out of a cattle car in which I had ridden for 48 hours with only a slice of black bread and a ring of German wurstmeat to eat.

"Why did you come over here to fight?" he stormed. "Why don't you Americans live up to your Monroe Doctrine of America for Americans and stay out of Europe? You Americans want all the oil and gold in the world!"

"You forget," I answered, "that you first declared war on America. The United States doesn't want anything in Europe. We fight only to preserve the right to live our lives the way we want to live it."

"Schweinhund! American dog!" he screamed, "You will someday live under the Deutsches Reich. We will win this war, because all you Americans think of is money, getting back home to your women, whiskey and leg-shows."

I shugged and climbed back upon my pallet of straw.

Confer On Revising Beef Cattle Prices

By ALEX H. SINGLETON

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Prime Minister Churchill cautioned the House of Commons today against "over-optimism" regarding the invasion, warning members to keep in mind that "although great dangers lie behind us, enormous exertions lie before us."

The prime minister, an old warhorse who gave up plans to watch the invasion itself only at the insistence of the military, side-stepped an attempt to secure a promise that he would stay away from the battlefield himself, although he advised Commons to be patient regarding the invasion news.

He said he had nothing to tell the House about the progress of the invasion because everything that occurred to him had been fully met in the excellent reports furnished by our able and upright press."

War Cost The U. S. 217,131 Casualties

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—The war, with no accounting yet of losses in the European coast landings, has cost the United States 217,131 casualties.

War and navy department reports today gave the army casualties as 171,358, and the navy's as 45,773. This is an increase of 10,245 in the last two weeks. The total includes 48,754 dead and 81,032 wounded.

Secretary of War Stimson emphasized in a news conference today the cost of major engagements.

American forces lost 2,379 casualties in three days of fighting—May 27 to 30, inclusive—in Italy, Stimson said. This was at a time when a break through of the Nazi line south of Rome was being executed.

The campaign in Italy, from the landings on the mainland last September to May 30, has resulted in 57,529 casualties, including 9,964 killed and 38,554 wounded.

Designate Spain As Dictatorship

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—Designation of Spain as a "dictatorship under debt to Hitler" appeared today in an official state department publication, The Bulletin.

The article, by Livingston T. Merchant, chief of the eastern hemisphere division of the state department's Office of Economic Affairs, contrasted with Prime Minister Churchill's recent "kindly words" for Spain.

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E. L. Colbert filed suit for divorce from Lillian Marie Colbert for the plaintiff.

Instill Bitter, Constant Hatred Of The Americans

By LARRY ALLEN
(Just repatriated from a German prison camp).

NEW YORK, June 8.—(P)—Intense, all-consuming, day and night hatred of the American people is the order of the day in Nazi Germany.

Her press and radio pound it into the war-tired brains of the German people constantly.

Leading the campaign is Robert Ley, chief spokesman for Hitler. Ley's job as chief of the labor front is to keep every able hand working for the war machine. But he travels over all Germany with his cry of hate and blazons it daily in the Berlin newspaper, "Der Angriff."

This is typical:

"Hate! Hate! Hate! Every German must hate the gangsters, the murderers, the assassins who come from the center of world Jewry and capitalism—the United States of America."

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Reporting to newspapermen on a recent physical checkup Mr. Roosevelt underwent at the Naval Medical Center, the physician, Vice Admiral Ross T. McIntire, described the President as:

"In better physical condition than the average man of his age."

He said the President's mid-spring vacation in South Carolina enabled him to throw off the effects of a series of winter illnesses—flu, intestinal upset, colds, a sinus infection and acute bronchitis.

Describing the results of the May 26 examination, McIntire said:

"I am glad to tell you that the response to the examination was

splendid—well within normal limits in all regards x x x a very

good report for his age."

Save for the President himself

McIntire probably has more to decide than any other individual

about the immediate public future

of Mr. Roosevelt. Besides spurring

the fourth-term talk, today's re-

port recalled recent discussions of a possible trip abroad.

Mr. Roosevelt himself started

the trip talk at a news conference

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